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TOWN COUNCIL.

Council Chamber,
Sept. 8th, 1908.

Council met in regular session on Monday evening.

In the absence of Mayor Meng, Reeve Symington occupied the chair.

Present—Reeve Symington and Councillors Steacy, Simpson, Alexander, Osborne and Denison.

The minutes of the last regular session were read and confirmed.

A communication was received from Hawley Wagar asking that the council build a three foot side walk on the west side of Union street. At present there is no walk at all. Referred to Streets Committee to report.

A communication was read from the Inspector of Prisons and Public Institutions, Toronto, acknowledging receipt of a copy of a resolution passed by the council re House of Refuge. As Dr. Bruce Smith was at present in England the matter could not be dealt with at once, but would be attended to upon his return. Filed.

A communication was received from Margaret Smith, Collingwood, re taxes on income in 1907, while engaged as teacher at the Collegiate Institute. Referred to the Court of Revision.

Mr. Frank H. Perry made application for the position of tax collector for 1908. Laid on the table until next meeting of council.

Councillor Simpson, chairman of the Finance Committee presented the treasurer's monthly statement, which is as follows :

COMMITTEE	APPROPRIATION	EXPENDED	UNEXPENDED
Streets.....	\$1500 00
County grant.....	.679 00	2179 00	605 33
Fire Water and Light.....	2290 00	117 38	20782 62
Town Property.....	250 00	11 44	238 56
Printing.....	100 00
Market.....	15 00	4 00	11 00
Police.....	40 00	100 00
Poor and Sanitary.....	350 00	53 05	296 95
MERCHANTS' BANK over draft \$7956.35,	Rep't received and adopted.		40 00

Councillor Osborne reported that he had consulted the solicitor in reference to fixing a charge for parties tapping into the West street sewer. In order to make a charge for this purpose a by-law would have to be passed, but the solicitor suggested no action. Report adopted.

Moved by Coun. Simpson, seconded by Coun. Denison, that the clerk notify the Napanee Water and Electric Company of the dangerous condition of their poles in front of the residences of Messrs. M. S. Madole and A. E. Websdale, and ask that they be removed within forty-eight hours.

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You can buy Hats at many stores but you can't buy the Hat for you at every store. A short stout man requires an entirely different Hat from a tall slender figure.

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\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 & \$2.50.

—STIFF HATS—

\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 & \$3.00.

J. L. BOYES,

tention had been called to the necessity of a new bridge to take the place of the old above mentioned. Tuesday, together with his foreman, who has had an experience of twenty-five years, he had made a thorough examination of the bridge in question and found it not only in a delapidated condition, but also in a dangerous one. Since he last saw the bridge, a matter of a couple of weeks, he found that it had shifted to the south about six inches. He did not wish to alarm the council, but he thought some action should be taken, particularly during the days of the fair, to prevent extra rigs or a crowd of people to be upon the bridge at one time. The condition of the structure was such that it might last the winter out, or it might tumble down at any time. He did not know whether the council proposed putting a new bridge there this fall or not. In his conversation with several members of the council the opinion seemed to be general that a new bridge was an absolute necessity, but then there was the question of finances.

Mr. Sage laid before the council plans and specifications of a bridge which he thought was about what the council wanted. He also exhibited several photos of bridges which his company had erected. If given the contract for a new bridge, and the council would allow them the use of the timbers in the old one, his company would willingly build a floating bridge for use during the construction, free of charge. At any rate he advised the council to have the abutments built immediately, as the work could be done so much cheaper now than later, or even next year.

Moved by Coun. Simpson, seconded by Coun. Alexander, that the matter of examining the covered bridge, to ascertain the exact condition, and arranging for financing the building of a new steel bridge be referred to the Finance Committee to report at next session of council. Carried.

The time for the return of the Collector's Roll was extended.

Moved by Coun. Osborne, seconded by Coun. Alexander that the Streets Com-

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seven hours in Picton, and reach home
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A. E. PAUL

Next Cambridge.

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Moved by Coun. Simpson, seconded by Coun. Osborne, that the electrician of the Corporation of Napanee Heat, Light and Power Company, be instructed to present to this council at its next session, a report as to the condition of the poles and wires of the Napanee Water and Electric Light Company. Carried.

Mr. F. W. Sage, representing the Ontario Bridge Company, Toronto, addressed the council in reference to a new steel bridge to take the place of the old covered bridge at the east end of the town. His company was doing considerable bridge building in this vicinity, and particularly in the county. The new bridge, known as Thompson's bridge, near Selby, in Richmond township, recently completely was the work of his company, as well as the steel work of the Newburgh bridge now under construction. While in town his at-

amining the covered bridge, to ascertain the exact condition, and arranging for financing the building of a new steel bridge be referred to the Finance Committee to report at next session of council. Carried.

The time for the return of the Collector's Roll was extended.

Moved by Coun. Osborne, seconded by Coun. Alexander, that the Streets Committee be empowered to engage a couple of men during the days of the fair to prevent the congestion of traffic at the covered bridge. Carried.

Moved by Coun. Steacy, seconded by Coun. Osborne, that a cement walk be built on Robert street in front of J. Blanchard's property, under usual conditions. Carried.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid : Electric Light Commissioners, town lighting for month of August, \$106.33 ; Wm. Rankin, collector, advance on salary, \$50.00 ; Bell Telephone Co., message, 40¢ ; G. T. R., rental for weigh scales, \$2.50 ; T. B. Wallace, bottle of ink, 50¢ ; M. S. Madole, hose and work at public library, \$20.48 ; Ira Jaynes, pound-keeper, \$7.50 ; Riverview cemetery, grave and burying poor, \$4.00 ; G. Storms, keep of poor, \$6.25 ; J. L. Boyes, ticket for poor, 55¢ ; G. B. Joy, elm lumber for bridge covering, \$31.70.

Other accounts.—A. T. Harshaw, insurance on town hall, \$18.90, referred to Finance Committee ; R. A. Leonard, attendance on poor, \$25.00, laid on table ; Standard Publishing Co., Kingston, advertising for tenders for west street sewer, \$7.20, Printing Committee to report ; M. S. Madole, supplies for west street sewer, etc., \$77.23, Streets Committee to report ; Robert Light, lumber, \$546.61, Street Committee with power to act.

The treasurer was granted a voucher for payments amounting to \$977.16.

Council adjourned.

Court of Revision.

Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held, pursuant to "The Ontario Voters' Lists Act," by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Lennox and Addington, at Selby town hall, on SATURDAY, THE 26th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1908, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Richmond for 1908. All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

ABRAM WINTERS,
Clerk of the said Municipality.
Dated the 8th day of September, 1908.

Town Hall, Napanee

Special engagement for Fair dates,

Sept. 14th, 15th, 16th

Eddie De Noyer and
3---Danie Sisters---3

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Finest and most up-to-date Vaudeville
Shows on the road,

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PLEASANT VALLEY.

The farmers of this vicinity are through harvesting and threshing is the order of the day.

About thirty of our young people spent pleasant day at Napanee Lake last Saturday.

A number of our young men have gone to the west.

Mr. Joseph Watson has gone to visit friends in North Dakota.

Mr. Charlie Whitty has left for Toronto and other points.

Mr. Clayton Curran has taken a little boy out of the home, also Mr. Thomas A. Watson a little girl.

Mr. Alex Manson is building a new brick house.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Joyner gave a birthday party in honor of Mrs. Joyner's mother, Mrs. Tom Bradford. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Miss Nellie Watson intends leaving in a few days for Oswego, N. Y. to visit friends.

Miss Mary Kerr is visiting at Harsowsmith.

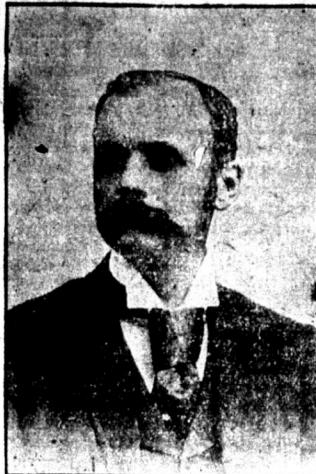
Visitors: Miss Florence Deline at her sister's, Mrs. Fred Ellerbeck ; Mr. Melville Bradford at his sister's, Mrs. T. A. Kerr ; Miss Zella Henderson Murvale, Mrs. F. Wagar and the Misses Smith at Ed. Whitty's ; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Watson at T. A. Kerr ; Mr. O. Shangraw and Mr. M. Babcock at Ed Whitty's ; Eddie Whitty, Jr. at E. Sigsworth's.

For fall painting use Sherwin-Williams Outside White. It will not chalk off like lead and oil. The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper sole agent for Napanee.

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\$1 per Year in advance: \$1.50 if not so paid.

NADA—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th, 1908



Mr. Ogden Hinch, well known to most residents in this section and a former merchant here, passed suddenly away at his home in Winnipeg, Man., on Wednesday evening. Deceased, since leaving Napanee, has been in the real estate business, first in Carman and laterly at Winnipeg, Man. Beside his wife, one son and three daughters remain. The funeral will be held in Winnipeg.

Lax-ets 5 C Sweet to Eat A Candy Bowel Laxative.

Golf Match.

A number of the members of the Napanee Golf club went to Picton on Monday to play a match with the Picton team. The Napanee contingent were defeated by a score of 25 to 12. The Ladies of Picton royally entertained the Napanee contingent, and though defeated they had a splendid day. Following is the score:

PICTON.

Holes up.

H. D. McMullen.....	1
B. Way.....	7
Dr. Knight.....	2
J. R. Brown.....	0
J. D. Hepburn.....	3
S. B. Gearing.....	5
H. B. Bristol.....	0
G. A. Trumper.....	4

25

NAPANEE.

Holes up.

W. C. Smith.....	0
H. Daly.....	0
T. B. German.....	0
Dr. R. A. Leonard.....	1
Rev. F. T. Dibb.....	0
F. Chenoweth.....	0
D. L. Hill.....	8
Rev. C. J. Cameron.....	0

12

Lamps.

Our stock this year is larger and some swell goods. Electric and gas portables at

BOYLE & SON'S.

NEWBURGH.

Edward Graham, a man of thirty-five years of age, fell from a butternut tree on his mother's farm three miles north of the village, on Sunday, and was so severely injured that it is feared he will not recover. The unfor-

THE FIRE WHISTLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NAPANEE EXPRESS.

Dear Sir—

As a resident of your town I wish to protest strongly against the Fire bell being rung so frequently for false alarms. We hear it rung for the ordinary practice of the Fire Brigade, which is wholly unnecessary, because the Firemen know when they are due for that purpose. Then, as a few evenings since, the Mayor, as I understand, saw fit to ring a false alarm while the firemen were at practice. This is also totally uncalled for. It is hard enough on nervous people, particularly women and children to have the alarm sounded when there is a real fire, but to have continual false alarms is outrageous. Our Councillors should have more common sense or resign their positions. The fire alarm should be sacred except in case of necessity. Then we have this Deviline whistle, which is an outrage on any community and would not be allowed in most cities and towns. I call it Deviline as that is the name of a bicycle whistle on the same principle, and which was always a nuisance.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Cresolene Tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

NEW BOOKS FOR THE LIBRARY.

The Free Lances, — by Captain Jack Brand, late of the U. S. Navy. Thrilling stories of the sea fighters of all nations in their long cruising and desperate battles for honor and treasure.

The House in the Water, and other Animal Stories, — by Chas. G. D. Roberts. This author needs no introduction to the public. His books are interesting and true to life and this, his latest book, is one of his best.

The Congo and Coasts of Africa, — by Richard Harding Davis. In this volume Mr. Davis sustains his reputation as a keen observer of the strange people he has met in his wanderings among the native tribes of Africa.

Farm, Cottage, Camp and Canoe in Maritime Canada, — by Arthur P. Silver. This is a much more interesting book than its title would indicate. It is dedicated to Earl Grey and the introduction is by Lord Strathcona.

The History of the Jews, — by Henry Hart Milman D. D. The author begins the work with the following sentence: "The Jews, without reference to their religious belief are among the most remarkable people in the annals of mankind" and in a scholarly manner he proceeds to demonstrate this rather sweeping assertion.

Colonial Memories, — by Lady Broome. If the book hunter would like an enjoyable visit with a bright intellectual woman who can relate her Colonial experiences in simple well-chosen language he cannot do better than get this book.

Big Game at Sea, — by Charles Frederick Holden, will be in great demand among sportsmen and may be read with interest by any one.

Pear Marmalade is never right unless you use English Sweet Stem Ginger for flavoring. You get it fresh at The Medical Hall! Fred L. Hooper.

Mrs. Geo Dawson, Fellows, returned on Wednesday from a visit to her daughter in Kingston.

Do not fail to hear Miss Luella Hall

NEW LUMBER YARD

Messrs. J. R. Dafoe and W. T. Waller, have purchased the lumber stock and business of Mr. M. S. Madole, and have overhauled the machinery of the planing mill and have it equipped for first-class work, and are prepared to supply the following first-class building material:—

Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Sash, Doors, Blinds,
Mouldings, Verandah Posts. Also Cement,
Sand, Lime, Building Paper, Roofing Drain Tile

in fact anything required in the building trade. Lumber Dressed,
and Sash and Doors, Etc. Prepared to order.

When intending to build, give us a call, foot of East Street.

DAFOE & WALLER,

Orders left at T. H. Waller's Hardware Store, or at J. R. Dafoe's Office will receive prompt attention. Telephone No. 14.

FOR SALE—Brick house, Newburgh road, nine rooms and bath room complete. Good garden, stable, and chicken house. Electric light, gas, water and furnace. Excellent well and cistern. Enquire at THIS OFFICE.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the estate of Frederick Parker Douglas, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to chapter 129 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, section 38, and amending acts, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Frederick Parker Douglas, late of the Town of Napanee, in the County of Lennox and Addington, manufacturer, deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of July, A. D., 1908, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to HERRINGTON, WARNER & GRANGE, Napanee, Ont., solicitors for Willet Jacob Oller, Administrator of the last will and testament of the said Frederick Parker Douglas, deceased, on or before the 10th DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D., 1908, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims or demands, due and owing, and the nature of the security if any held by them.

And further take notice that after the 10th day of October, A. D., 1908, the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they have not received notice, or the time of the distribution thereof.

HERRINGTON, WARNER & GRANGE,
Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Dated the 9th day of September, 1908.

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SPECIAL SALE OF SUMMER GOODS

We quote a few items to give an idea what can be bought for little money.

WHITE BLOUSES—Your choice in the window for \$1.50 each.

BLACK SATINE AND MOIRE UNDERSKIRTS — Special price to clear.

BLACK AND WHITE SILK GLOVES—In these also we are clearing out the stock at surprising figures. See these.

LADIES' STRAW HATS—At any price to clear them out to make room for the new ones.

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Graduate Ontario Veterinary College, has opened and office second door south of Express Printing Office, where he may be consulted on all diseases of Domestic Animals. All latest veterinary sciences.

Residence: West Street, near Madden's grocery.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held, pursuant to "The Ontario Voters' Lists Act," by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Lennox and Addington, at Tamworth on the 17th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 1908, at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Sheffield.

J. F. DIAMOND,

Township Clerk, Sheffield.

Dated Tamworth, Aug. 22nd, 1908.

Court of Revision.

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ALBERT COLLEGE, Belleville, Ont.

Conservatory of Music.

NEWBURGH.

Edward Graham, a man of thirty-five years of age, fell from a butternut tree on his mother's farm three miles north of the village, on Sunday, and was so severely injured that it is feared he will not recover. The unfortunate man fell into a pile of stones, crushing his skull, severly cutting his face and also injuring his back. He has not regained consciousness, and although everything is being done that can be done, it is feared he will not recover. Dr. Beeman was with the injured man the greater part of Sunday and Monday afternoon. Drs. Beeman and Vrooman held a consultation. Mr. Graham is a carpenter by trade and has been employed in this village all season.

A Word About Corns.

Don't suffer a minute with corns go straight to Wallace's Red Cross Drug Store and get some of that corn killer, it don't cost much.

BELL ROCK

The Sunday school picnic at First Lake on Monday was well patronized and greatly enjoyed by the youngsters of the village.

The pupils of the public school are proud of seeing the Union Jack floating over the schoolhouse every public holiday.

Miss Edna Vanvolkenburg, Belleville, was the guest of Miss Stella Vanvolkenburg last week.

Neily Yorke and Miss Maggie Yorke are visiting friends in Toronto.

J. C. Pomeroy, of Princeton, N. Y., formerly of Queen's, Kingston, spent a few days at J. Pomeroy's.

F. Carr is rushing the threshing business these days.

The friends of Wm. A. Wheeler were greatly shocked to hear of his sudden death at Portland, Oregon. His father and sisters have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

The village school is progressing fine under the able management of Thos. E. Furrs, of Colebrooke.

Wm. Moir is home from Peterboro.

Visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Cephas Johnson and baby Roy, at J. Yorke's; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wheeler, Northbrook, at I. B. Wheeler's; Peter Taylor, Lakefield, at Mrs. Moir's.

Baskets for chaff and roots, market baskets, clothes baskets, lunch baskets,

BOYLE & SON.

THE FALL FAIRS.

Centreville, Sept. 12th.
NAPANEE—Sept. 15th and 16th.
Madoc—Sept. 15th and 16th.
Belleville—Sept. 16th and 17th.
Cobourg Central—Sept. 16th and 17th.

Shannonville—Sept. 19th.
Brighton—Sept. 22nd.
Marmora—Sept. 22nd and 23rd.
Coe Hill—Sept. 23rd.
Picton—Sept. 23rd and 24th.
Stirling—Sept. 23rd and 24th.
Tammworth—Sept. 26th.
Tweed—Oct. 1st.
Banfford—Oct. 1st and 2nd.
Campbellford—Oct. 1st and 2d.
Odessa—Oct. 2nd.
Roblin's Mills—Oct. 3rd.
Warkworth—Oct. 8th and 9th.

HEART DISEASE

Relieved in 30 Minutes—**Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure is the Mystic Remedy.**

This remarkable preparation gives perfect relief in 30 minutes in all cases of organic or sympathetic heart disease and speedily effects a cure. It is a magic remedy for palpitation, shortness of breath, smothering spells, pain in left side and all symptoms of a diseased heart. It also strengthens the nerves and cures stomach disorders. **Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are the best.** 40 doses, 10c. (16)

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Ginger for flavoring. You get it fresh at The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper.

Mrs. Geo Dawson, Fellows, returned on Wednesday from a visit to her daughter in Kingsion.

Do not fail to hear Miss Luella Hall in the Organ Recital in St. Mary Magdalene's Church, Thursday evening, Sept. 17th, at 7:30.

Matinee horse races will be held in the Deseronto Driving Park on Friday, September 11th. Good races are promised as horses from Belleville, Trenton, Picton, Napanee and Kingston will take part.

A small blaze was discovered in the retort house of the Gas Co's plant on Monday evening. An alarm was sent in and the fire quickly extinguished with a few pails of water. Very little damage was done.

It has been proposed to form a male voice choir from the men of the town for the practise of glees, part songs, etc. Will those who are interested in this kindly attend a meeting at Fisher's music store on Monday next the 11th, at 8 p.m.

It is rumored that an injunction will be asked for to restrain the town council from assessing a rate of 27 mills in the dollar for five months' taxes to January 1st, as they are asking for about \$9000.00 more than their appropriations should call for.

Dr. Garrett, of Kingston, was here yesterday afternoon having been called in consultation at the bedside of Mr. J. M. Graham, who took a sudden turn for the worse early in the afternoon. Drs. Simpson and Vrooman were with Dr. Garrett and the doctors gave their opinion that while Mr. Graham is critically ill, his strong constitution may pull him through.

Franklin Guess, over sixty years of age, storekeeper at Sydenham, hanged himself in his own barn on Saturday. At noon his body was found by his son, Ross Guess. Deceased had been worrying a great deal of late, and took his life in a fit of despondency. Mr. Guess was a farmer, and for several years occupied a farm three miles from Sydenham. Two years ago he disposed of his farm, and started up a store in Sydenham. He had a most successful business, but worried over family matters, so it is stated. He intended going back to farm life again, as only just recently he made all the necessary preparations to dispose of his store, and rented another farm, about one mile and a quarter from Sydenham. He had not yet moved out, owing to the fact that all the business matters in connection with his store had not been settled. Deceased was widely known and very highly respected. He is survived by his wife, one son and two daughters. There was no inquest.

NAPANEE CHEESE BOARD.

1862 white and 225 colored cheese were offered for sale at the meeting on Friday Sept. 4th. Some of the offerings sold at 12s. on the Board, and some small lots at 12-16s. on the curb. The following factories boarded:

	White Colored
2 Croydon	60 ..
3 Clareview	50 ..
4 Tamworth	60 ..
5 Sheffield	60 ..
7 Empey	40 ..
9 Phippen No 1	90 ..
10 Phippen No 2	60 ..
11 Phippen No 3	100 ..
12 Kingford	82 ..
14 Union	140 ..
15 Odessa	225 ..
20 Palace Road	140 ..
21 Centreville	125 ..
22 Selby	176 ..
23 Newburgh	100 ..
24 Camden East	125 ..
25 Deseronto	184 ..
26 Marlbank	86 ..
28 Enterprise	120 ..
29 Whiteman Creek	70 ..

Pink Pain Tablets—Dr. Shoop's—stop Headache, womanly pains, any pain, anywhere, in 20 minutes sure. Formula on the 25c box. Ask your druggist or doctor about this formula—it's fine.

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Township Clerk, Sheffield.
Dated Tamworth, Aug. 22nd, 1908.

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All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

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A House of Mystery

OR, THE GIRL IN BLUE

CHAPTER XXIV.

A man-servant answered my summons.

"Mrs. Anson?" I inquired.

"Mrs. Anson's out of town, sir," answered the man. "The house is let."

"Furnished?"

"Yes, sir."

"Is your mistress at home?" I inquired.

"I don't know sir," answered the man, "ipsofacto."

"Oh, of course!" I exclaimed, taking out a card. It was the first I found within my cigarette-case, and was intentionally not my own. "Will you take this to your mistress, and ask her if she will kindly spare me a few moments. I am a friend of Mrs. Anson's."

"I'll see if she's at home, sir," said the man, dubiously; and then, asking me into the entrance-hall, he left me standing while he went in search of his mistress.

That hall was the same down which I had groped my way when blind. I saw the closed door of the drawing-room, and knew that within that room the young man whose name I knew not had been foully done to death. There was the very umbrella-stand from which I had taken the walking-stick, and the door of the little-used library, which I had examined on that night when I had dined there at Mrs. Anson's invitation—the last night of my existence as my real self.

The man returned in a few moments and invited me into a room on the left—the morning-room I supposed it to be saying:

"My mistress is at home, sir, and will see you."

I had not remained there more than a couple of minutes before a youngish woman of perhaps thirty or so entered, with a rather distant bow. She was severely dressed in black; dark-haired, and not very prepossessing. Her lips were too thick to be beautiful, and her top row of teeth seemed too much in evidence. Her face was not exactly ugly, but she was by no means good-looking.

"I have to apologize," I said, rising and bowing. "I understand that Mrs. Anson has left her house, and I thought you would kindly give me her address. I wish to see her on a most pressing personal matter."

She regarded me with some suspicion, I thought.

"If you are a friend of Mrs. Anson's, would it not be better if you wrote to her and addressed the letter here? Her letters are always forwarded," she answered.

She was evidently a rather shrewd and superior person.

"Well, to tell the truth," I said,

"I have reasons for not writing."

"Then I much regret, sir, that I am unable to furnish you with her address," she responded, somewhat stiffly.

betraying the astounding blank in my mind.

After a restless hour I drove back westward and called at old Channing's in Cornwall Gardens in an endeavor to learn Mabel's address. The colonel was out, but I saw Mrs. Channing, and she could, alas! tell me nothing beyond the fact that Mrs. Anson and her daughter had been abroad for three years past—where, she knew not. They had drifted apart, she said, and never now exchanged letters.

"Is Mabel married?" I inquired as carelessly as I could, although in breathless eagerness.

"I really don't know," she responded. "I have heard some talk of the likelihood of her marrying, but whether she has done so I am unaware."

"And the man whom rumor designated as her husband? Who was he?" I inquired quickly.

"A young nobleman, I believe."

"You don't know his name?"

"No. It was mentioned at the time, but it has slipped my memory. One takes no particular notice of tea-cup gossip."

"Well, Mrs. Channing," I said, confidently, "I am extremely desirous of discovering the whereabouts of Mabel Anson. I want to see her upon a rather curious matter which closely concerns herself. Can you tell me of any one who is intimate with them?"

"Unfortunately, I know of no one," she answered. "The truth is, that they left London quite suddenly; and, indeed, it was a matter for surprise that they neither paid farewell visits nor told any of their friends where they were going."

"Curious," I remarked—"very curious!"

Then there was, I reflected, apparently some reason for the present tenant at The Boltons refusing the address.

"Yes," Mrs. Channing went on, "it was all very mysterious. Nobody knows the real truth why they went abroad so suddenly and secretly. It was between three and four years ago now, and nothing, to my knowledge, has since been heard of them."

"Very mysterious," I responded. "It would seem almost as though they had some reason for concealing their whereabouts."

"That's just what lots of people have said. You may depend upon it that there is something very mysterious in it all. We were such very close friends for years, and it is certainly strange that Mrs. Anson has never confided in me the secret of her whereabouts."

"I remembered the old Colonel's strange warning on that evening long ago, when I had first met Mabel at his table. What, I wondered, could he know of them to their detriment?

I remained for a quarter of an hour longer. The colonel's wife

Exeter correspondent of the Central News. The police had, no doubt, received my description, and were actively on the watch to trace me and restore me to my "friends."

For nearly a fortnight I had been in hiding, and was now on the verge of desperation. By means of one of the cheques I had taken from Denbury I succeeded in drawing a good round sum without my bankers being aware of my address, and was contemplating going abroad in order to avoid the possibility of being put under restraint as a lunatic, when one evening, in the dusky sunset, I went forth and wandered down Northumberland Avenue to the Victoria Embankment. In comparison with the life and bustle of the Strand and Trafalgar Square, the wide roadway beside the Thames is always quiet and reposeful. Upon that same pavement over which I now strolled in the direction of the Temple I had, in the days of my blindness, taken my lessons in walking alone. That pavement had been my practice-ground on summer evenings under the tender guidance of poor old Parker, the faithful servant now lost to me. My eyesight had now grown as strong as that of other men. The great blank in my mind was all that distinguished me from my fellows. During those past fourteen days I had been probing a period which I had not lived, and ascertaining by slow degrees the events of my unknown past.

And as I strolled along beneath the plane trees over that broad pavement I recollect that the last occasion I had been there was on that memorable evening when I had lost myself, and was subsequently present at the midnight tragedy in that house of mystery. I gazed around. In the ornamental gardens, bright with geraniums, some tired Londoners were taking their ease upon the seats provided by that most paternal of all metropolitan institutions, the London County Council; children were shouting as they played at ball and hop-scotch, that narrow strip of green being, alas! all they knew of Nature's beauty outside their world of bricks and mortar. The slight wind stirred the dusty foliage of the trees beneath which I walked, while to the left river-steamer belched forth volumes of black smoke, and barges slowly floated down with the tide. On either side were great buildings, and straight before the dome of St. Paul's. Over all was that golden, uncertain haze which in central London is called sunset, the light which so quickly turns to cold, grey, without any of those glories of crimson and gold which those in the country associate with the summer sun's decline.

That walk induced within me melancholy thoughts of a wasted life. I loved Mabel Anson—I loved her with all my soul. Now that marriage with her was no longer within the range of possibility I was inert and despairing, utterly heedless of everything. I had, if truth be told, no further desire for life. All joy within me was now blotted out.

(To be Continued.)

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SWARMS OF BUTTERFLIES.

Bohemian District Invaded by Them.

The Prague (Austria) Tageblatt says that enormous swarms of butterflies passed through Asch and the surrounding country last week. The farmers and gardeners are in a state bordering on terror, as it has been discovered that the invading army left an awful memento behind it in the shape of eggs.

Some idea of the extent of the trouble can be gathered from the fact that on a single leaf as many as twenty nests, each containing 1,000 eggs, were found. This means the hatching out of 20,000 ravenous caterpillars, which will immediately commence their work of destruction on the plant that has sheltered them.

The swarm that made it way over Asch is only one of the many that are devastating Bohemia. In one of the districts given up to the cultivation of cabbages the fields were white as if with snow, and after the passing of the butterflies it was noticed that the cabbages were thickly covered with the oval eggs of the insects. This year's cabbage crop is quite lost.

At Oelsnitz the butterflies flew in at the open windows of an embroidery factory in such numbers that the machines became clogged by their bodies and work had to be suspended for the day.

A curious fact in connection with these swarms is that they appear invariably to fly south-west.

WEEKLY LETTER.

A. J. Pattison & Co., Toronto, state that the recent failure of A. G. Brown & Co., of New York will not affect Canadian investors, as their business was carried on in Canada through Canadian brokers, and if the firm do not pay in full the brokers will be the losers. The New York market has been active and prices advanced beyond any immediate warrant—with recent recessions. However, every one knows that Wall Street anticipates events, and there is certainly marked improvement in trade conditions, which promises to not only increase, but to be permanent. The well-established dividend paying stocks are undoubtedly a safe investment and at present prices will pay a good rate of interest. They will sell higher after the Presidential election—if not before. In the Toronto market the advance in Mexican Power which we recommended to our clients at 50 to 75 and San Paulo to 150 are the features. The buying at these prices is probably foreign. The English and French investor are more favorable to South and Central American investments than the Canadian. The settlement of Dominion Coal-Steel differences will not now be long postponed, and we look for a substantial advance in the price of this stock.

The mining market has been exceedingly active, large numbers of shares changing hands. Prices have advanced slightly, but dividend payers are still selling under their market value from the standard of earning.

The American investors are purchasing heavily. Our reports from the Larder Lake Gold fields are highly encouraging the permanence of the Camp is stated to be assured and the extent of the gold-bearing belt if confirmed will make this camp the greatest gold field in the

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"I have been absent from London for six years," I exclaimed. "It is because of that long absence that I prefer not to write."

"I fear that I cannot assist you," she replied briefly.

There was a strange, determined look in her dark-grey eyes. She did not seem a person amenable to argument.

"But it is regarding an urgent and purely private affair that I wish to see Mrs. Anson," I said.

"I have nothing whatever to do with the private affairs of Mrs. Anson," she replied. "I merely rent this house from her, and, in justice to her, it is not likely that I give the address to every chance caller."

"I am no chance caller," I responded. "During her residence here six years ago I was a welcome guest at her table."

"Six years ago is a long time. You may, for aught I know, not be so welcome now."

Did she, I wondered, speak the truth?

"You certainly speak very plainly, madam," I answered, rising stiffly. "If I have put you to any inconvenience I regret it. I can, no doubt, obtain from some other person the information I require."

"Most probably you can, sir," she answered, in a manner quite unruffled. "I tell you that if you write I shall at once forward your letter to her. More than that I cannot do."

"I presume you are acquainted with Miss Mabel Anson?" I inquired.

She smiled with some sarcasm.

"The Anson family do not concern me in the least, sir," she replied, also rising as sign that my unprofitable interview was at an end. Mention of Mabel seemed to have irritated her, and although I plied her with further questions, she would tell me absolutely nothing.

When I bowed and took my leave I fear that I did not show her very much politeness.

In my eagerness for information I had forgotten to give me Mrs. Anson's address never struck me as perfectly natural. She, of course, did not know me, and her offer to forward a letter was all that she could do in such circumstances. Not at the time I did not view it in that light, but regarded the tenor of that by use of mystery as an ill-mannered and extremely disagreeable person.

In despair I returned to St. James's Street and entered my club, the Devonshire. Several men whom I did not know greeted me warmly in the smoking-room, and, from their manner, I saw that in my last year I had evidently not abandoned that institution. They chatted to me about politics and stocks, two subjects upon which I was perfectly ignorant, and I was compelled to exercise considerable tact and ingenuity in order to avoid

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I remained for a quarter of an hour longer. The colonel's wife was full of the latest tittle-tattle, as the wife of an ex-attaché always is. It is part of the diplomatic training to be always well-informed of the sayings and doings of our neighbors; and as I allowed her to gossip on she revealed to me many things of which I was in ignorance. Nellie, her daughter, had, it appeared, married the son of a Newcastle shipowner a couple of years before, and now lived near Berwick-on-Tweed.

Suddenly a thought occurred to me, and I asked whether she knew Miss Wells or the man Hickman, who had been my fellow-guests on that night when I had dined at The Boltons.

"I knew a Miss Wells—a very pronounced old maid, who was a friend of hers," answered Mrs. Channing. "But she caught influenza about a year ago, and died of it. She lived in Edith Villas, Kensington."

"And Hickman, a fair man, of middle age, with a very ugly face?" She reflected.

"I have no recollection of ever having met him, or of hearing of him," she answered. "Was he an intimate friend?"

"I believe so," I said. Then, finding that she could explain nothing more, I took my leave.

Next day and the next I wandered about London aimlessly and without hope. Mabel and her mother had, for some unaccountable reason, gone abroad and carefully concealed their whereabouts. Had this fact any connection with the mysterious tragedy that had been enacted at The Boltons? That one thought was ever uppermost in my mind.

A week passed, and I still remained at the Grand, going forth each day, wandering hither and thither, but never entering the Club or going to places where I thought it likely that I might be recognized. I could not return to the life at Denbury with that angular woman at the head of my table—the woman who called herself my wife. If I returned I felt that the mystery of it all must drive me to despair, and it should, in a fit of desperation, commit suicide.

I ask any of those who read this strange history of my life, whether they consider themselves capable of remaining calm and tranquil in such circumstances, or of carefully going over all the events in their sequence and considering them with logical reasoning. I tried to do so, but in vain. For hours I sat within the hotel smoking and thinking. I was living an entirely false life, existing in the fear of recognition by unknown friends, and the constant dread that sooner or later I must return to that hated life in Devonshire.

That a hue-and-cry had been raised regarding my disappearance was plain from a paragraph which I read in one of the morning papers about ten days after my departure from Denbury. In the paragraph I was designated as "a financier well-known in the City," and it was there stated that I had left my home suddenly "after betraying signs of insanity," and had not since been heard of.

"Insanity!" I laughed bitterly as I read those lines supplied by the

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It had been, so far as the Browns' household was concerned, a good season for the family doctor. Every member of the family had been, or was, ailing, and little Tommy, the youngest olive-branch, was apparently proud of the fact, for it was in a jubilant tone that he informed a visitor of the general prostration.

"Oh, yes, everybody's ill in our house. I've got mumps, brother and sister's just getting over the measles, mother's bad with influenza, granddad's mad with gout, and granny's bent in two with the rheumatics."

"But what about your father?" asked the visitor; "you haven't mentioned him."

"Oh, father," replied Tommy, looking for a moment dubious, but directly afterwards reminiscent—"oh, yes, I remember now what's the matter with him. I heard him tell Mr. Jones. Father—he's got the hump!"

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JEWISH FAMILY WIPE OUT.

Russian Revolutionists Took Terrible Vengeance.

News has reached St. Petersburg of a terrible vengeance taken by the Revolutionists of Yuryika, in Yekaterinoslav Province, upon a Jewish family named Edelstein, who were accused of giving information to the authorities regarding the activities of the agitators. They visited the Edelstein house at night and threw bombs through the windows. They then opened on the members of the family with revolvers and shot to death the father, a daughter, a woman guest and her child. The mother, a son, son-in-law and two grandsons were severely wounded.

After this murderous onslaught the Revolutionists temporarily retired, and help for the wounded was summoned. In the course of a couple of hours the victims who were still alive had been conveyed to a hospital. Not satisfied with their vengeance, the Revolution-

LONDON LANDMARK GOING.

200-Year-Old Scottish Church in Covent Garden Coming Down.

The most famous London building in the hands of the housebreakers at the present moment is undoubtedly the old National Scottish Church in Crown Court, Covent Garden, a little alleyway which runs north out of Russel street, opposite the stage entrance to Drury Lane Theatre. It is—or was—a veritable London landmark. It has, however, for long been too big for the calls upon it, and has been paying under stress a very large ground rent to the Duke of Bedford. It will be rebuilt upon the same spot, but on a much smaller plot of land. Meanwhile the services of the church will be conducted in the Newton Hall, Fetter lane.

The old church in Crown Court was originally built about one hundred and ninety years ago. It realized the designs of its founders in a normal fashion for a long while. Then suddenly came a time when it was famous. John Cumming, who had been licensed to preach in May, 1832, by the Aberdeen Presbytery, was acting as tutor in Kensington, when he was invited to preach in the old church in Crown Court.

In August of the same year he received a "call" from the church. It was then small and inconvenient, and the minister's income was not over £200. But his preaching soon attracted a huge congregation, and the church was rebuilt in 1847 at a cost of \$5,000. It was opened in 1848 with sittings for a thousand persons. The income from pew rents reached £1,500 per annum, but Cumming refused to accept more than £900, the remainder paying off the debt incurred for rebuilding. The church has remained, strangely picturesque and grimy, until to-day.

Now the fashionable congregation has drifted westward to the new church in Pont street, Chelsea, and the old Manse, or dwelling as they call it, built for Cumming, is being pulled down with the rest of the building. The big organ is to be sold and Lady Frances Balfour, one of the last patronesses, has, it is understood, secured the possession of some of the woodwork, which is beautiful and valuable, in the Manse.

MOTHERS!

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Waiter (who has just served up some soup)—"Looks uncommonly like rain, sir." Diner—"Yes, by Jove! and tastes like it too. Bring me some thick soup."

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Another despatch from the provinces received here says that the prisoners in the jail at Saratov, upon discovering that two of their comrades were traitors, fell upon them and beat them to death.

A CONTEST WORTH ENTERING.

A Life Annuity of FIFTY-TWO DOLLARS is offered by the ORANGE MEAT people to the one sending in the largest number of bottoms of ORANGE MEAT packages before May 31, 1909. This means that the winner will receive One Dollar EVERY WEEK, or FIFTY-TWO DOLLARS every year, as long as he or she lives, or they can exchange it for a CASH PRIZE of SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS. Besides the above there is a second Cash Prize of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS, also other Cash Prizes as follows:

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Teacher—"That's right. Now, Tommy, can you tell me what a neighbor is?"

Tommy—"Yes, ma'am. It's a

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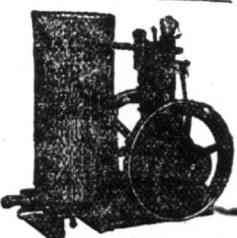
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GREAT FIRE AT ST. REMI

Small Quebec Village Narrowly Escapes Destruction.

A despatch from Montreal says: The village of St. Remi, 35 miles from here, narrowly escaped the fate of Three Rivers, when a fire broke out early on Friday morning. Aid was asked for from Montreal, and a special train with a section of the fire brigade, engines, etc., went out and soon had the fire under control. The loss will amount to about \$150,444. Ten houses and stores were burned, beside a number of sheds and outbuildings. The fire started in the general store of Mr. Lazure, situated in the center of the village, just in front of the parish church. The flames soon

spread to adjoining buildings, and but for aid from Montreal the whole town would have burned. Four individuals were seen prowling around the village on Friday morning. As they were believed to be the bandits of St. Eustache, they were ordered to leave within an hour, or they would be arrested. Among the destroyed buildings are the restaurant of Alex. Tayrent, Dr. Trudeau's office, the residence of M. J. D. Black, the Ste. Marie store, and the residences of Mr. A. Taillon and Mr. Lesame. The townspeople put up a plucky fight, but were badly handicapped for the want of proper apparatus.

THE WORLD'S MARKETS

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES.

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Dairy Produce at Home and Abroad.

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—Flour—Ontario wheat 90 per cent. patents, \$3.30 to \$3.35 in buyers' sacks outside for export. Manitoba flour, first patents, \$6; second patents, \$5.40, and strong bakers', \$5.30.

Wheat—Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern at \$1.17½; old No. 2 at \$1.14½, and old No. 3 at \$1.12. New No. 1 Northern, \$1.13, and No. 2 at \$1.11, lake ports.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 white and red quoted at \$6 to 80¢c outside.

Oats—Ontario, new, No. 2 white, 28¢c on track; Manitoba No. 3 quoted at 44¢c, and rejected, 43½¢ to 44¢, lake ports.

Rye—Buyers at 73¢c outside.

Peas—85¢c outside.

Corn—Prices at 88¢c for No. 2 American yellow, and at 87¢c for No. 3 American, on track, Toronto.

Barley—No. 2 barley quoted at 58 to 60¢c, and No. 3 extra at 57¢c outside.

Bran—Cars are quoted at \$18 in bulk outside. Shorts quoted at \$21 to \$22 in bulk outside.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Beans—Prime, 82 to \$2.10, and hand-picked, \$2.20 to \$2.25.

Honey—Combs, No. 1, \$1.50 to \$1.75 per dozen, and No. 2, in 60-pound tins, 92¢c; No. 1 extract, 10 to 11¢c per pound.

Hay—No. 1 timothy \$9 to \$10 a ton on track here, and No. 2 at \$6.50 to \$7.

Straw—\$6 to \$7.50 in car lots.

Potatoes—New Canadian quote at 55 to 65¢c per bushel in large lots; New Brunswick potatoes, \$1 per bag, on track.

Poultry—Chickens, spring, dressed, 13 to 14¢c per pound; fowl, 10 to 12¢c; ducks, dressed, 10 to 11¢c; turkeys, dressed, 15 to 16¢c per pound.

99¢; No. 3 extra red, 97½¢; No. 2 white, 98½¢; No. 2 mixed, 98¢. Corn—Firmer; No. 3 yellow, 84¢; No. 4 yellow, 83¢; No. 3 white, 83¢. Oats—Easier; No. 2 white, 53½¢ to 54¢; No. 3 white, 52½¢ to 53¢; No. 4 white, 51½¢ to 52¢. Barley—Feed to malting, 63 to 68¢c.

Minneapolis, Sept. 8.—Wheat—Dec., \$1; May, \$1.03%; Cash, No. 1 hard, \$1.03%; No. 1 Northern, \$1.02%; No. 2 Northern, 99½ to \$1.00½; No. 3 Northern, 97 to 98¢. Bran—In bulk, \$18 to \$18.50; Flours—First patents, \$5.65 to \$5.75; second patents, \$5.50 to \$5.60; first clears, \$4.35 to \$4.45; second clears \$2.50 to \$3.60.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—For butchers' cattle few prices higher than \$4, the best that was on the market not fetching over \$4.65. Cows are rather slow sellers and anything had to be very fine to fetch \$4. An improvement is noted in the demand for stockers. The best price for milkers was not much over \$50. An overwhelming supply of lambs came in to-day, which forced prices very much lower to between \$4.50 and \$5. Export ewes sold at \$3.75 to \$4. Offerings of hogs were a little more liberal, but the market held steady at \$6.50.

C. P. R. BRIDGE BURNED.

Main Line Between White River and Schreiber Cut.

A despatch from North Bay says: Passenger traffic on the C. P. R. was disorganized on Thursday by two accidents, which cap the climax of a series of events during the week which have kept the officials constantly on the jump. Serious washouts tied up the line west of Fort William, followed by a pitch-in east of Port Arthur on Wednesday, when a light engine crashed into the rear end of a freight train, smashing the engine, caboose and one car. No one was injured. Hardly had the tracks been fixed and traffic again got moving before an even more serious event occurred on Thursday, in the burning of the six hundred-foot bridge between White River and Schreiber, which will take at least three days to rebuild. Bush fires are supposed to have ignited the bridge. The Imperial Limited express, which left North Bay on Wednesday night

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HEALTH

GERMS TO FIGHT GERMS.

There are a number of means employed by physicians for the prevention or cure of infectious, or germ, diseases, both acute and chronic. For example, they may attack the bacteria directly by antiseptics and germicides or by antibacterial serum, in the hope of destroying so many that those remaining cannot manufacture their specific poison in quantity enough to do harm, or of weakening them to such a degree that the natural protective forces of the body are enabled to annihilate them. They may give an antidote to the toxin—an antitoxin, as is now familiar in the treatment of diphtheria. They may strengthen the natural resistance of the body, as in the use of the so-called opsonic therapy or in the open-air treatment; or they may merely attack the symptoms—giving an anodyne for pain or a sedative for cough.

The first plan is evidently the most rational, since it is based on the principle of removing the cause before it has had time to produce any permanent results. Unfortunately, it is extremely difficult to carry it out; for a chemical germicide becomes so diluted in the seven or eight pounds or more of blood circulating in the blood-vessels, when given in any dose that will not poison the body itself, that it is harmless by the time it reaches the germs.

More success might be hoped to attend the use of antibacterial serum, which is obtained in much the same way as antitoxin, but this is difficult to procure, and has been found available in only a limited number of diseases. Recently it has been proposed to introduce into the body certain bacteria which are harmless to man, but which are destructive of other disease-producing bacteria. This principle has long been employed in the preservation of certain food products, as by the Bulgarians and others who set their milk to sour almost as soon as it is drawn. The souring is caused by the growth of lactic acid bacilli, which are antagonistic to the germs of putrefaction, that are present in all but the very purest milk.

A Russian scientist, Metchnikoff, has suggested that this sour milk be drunk in order to introduce the beneficial bacilli into the intestines, to destroy those which set up a fermentation of the intestinal contents. More recently still, it has been proposed to extend this principle by injecting a spray of lactic acid bacilli into the nasal passages in order to destroy the catarrhal germs.—Ladies' Journal.

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CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS

HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE.

Telegraphic Briefs From Our Own and Other Countries of Recent Events.

CANADA.

Mr. J. A. Cummings walked off a train in his sleep at Kama and was killed.

Dr. Milton L. Hersey of Montreal has given \$10,000 to the Kingston Mining School.

An Ottawa hotelkeeper has been fined for keeping boys in his hotel and supplying them with whiskey.

The Railway Commission is considering regulations for carrying explosives on railways.

Swift & Co. of Chicago are said to be interested in an extensive stockyard and abattoir scheme at Winnipeg.

In a quarrel, on Thursday, between two Indians at Cornwall, Louis Peters was stabbed by Mitchell Oak below the heart.

Mrs. Harshaw was killed by an express train at Comber, on Thursday, while trying to avoid an approaching freight.

John McAins of Guelph township, aged 83 years, died from a dose of Paris green, on Thursday, taken with suicidal intent.

In a row among drunken Italians at Fenelon Falls one man was slashed across the abdomen, and his alleged assailant was arrested.

Capt. McHarg won the Governor-General's match in the Dominion rifle competition at Ottawa, and Capt. McVittie took first place in the Bisley aggregate.

A horse-thief is alleged to have stolen a horse and buggy from Byron Beamer of Lincoln township, and set fire to the barn to cover the theft. Mr. Beamer lost his barn machinery, horses and other stock and crops.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Prince Bolotoff, a Russian, will attempt to cross the English Channel with an aeroplane.

Baron Sackville, who was British Minister to the United States from 1881 to 1888, is dead.

The British bark Amazon was wrecked off the Welsh coast and 27 of her crew were drowned.

The Earl of Rosse, one of Ireland's representative Peers in the House of Lords, is dead.

Great damage has been done in England and along the coast by terrific storms during the last two days.

Lieut.-General F. W. Kitchener, brother of Lord Kitchener, will succeed General Wodehouse as Governor of Bermuda.

A madman caused a panic on the London Stock Exchange on Wednesday by firing three shots from his revolver in the building.

UNITED STATES.

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THE DAIRY MARKETS.

Butter—Pound prints, 22 to 23c; tubs, 20 to 21c; do., inferior, 18 to 19c. Creamery rolls, 25 to 26c, and solids at 24 to 24½c.

Eggs—20 to 21c per dozen in case lots.

Cheese—Large, 13 to 13½c per pound, and twins 13½c to 13¾c; old cheese, 15 to 15½c.

HOG PRODUCTS.

Bacon, long clears, 11½ to 11¾c per pound in case lots; mess pork, \$19 to \$19.50; short cut, \$23 to \$23.50.

Hams—Light to medium, 14½ to 15c; do., heavy, 12 to 12½c; rolls, 10½ to 11½c; shoulders, 10 to 10½c; backs, 17½ to 18c; breakfast bacon, 15 to 15½c.

Lard—Tierces, 12½c; tubs, 12½c; pails, 12½c.

BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, Sept. 8.—Grain—Manitoba No. 2 white at 48c, No. 3 at 47c and rejected at 46c per bushel, in car lots, ex store. Flour—Choice spring wheat patents, \$6 to \$6.10; seconds, 85.50; Winter wheat patents, \$5; straight rollers, \$4.30 to \$4.50; do., in bags, \$2 to \$2.10; extras, \$1.65 to \$1.75. Mill-feed—Manitoba bran, \$22 to \$23, shorts, \$25; Ontario bran, \$21 to \$22; middlings, \$26 to \$27; shorts, \$26 per ton, including bags; pure grain mouille, \$30 to \$35, and milled grades, \$25 to \$29 per ton. Fine westerns 12½ to 12¾c, and easterns, 12½ to 12¾c. Butter—25c for finest creamery, and round lots are quoted at 24c. Eggs—Sales of selected stock were made at 24c, No. 1 at 20c and No. 2 at 18c per dozen. Provisions—Barrels short cut mess, \$22.50; half bbls., \$11.50; clear fat backs, \$23; dry salt clear backs, 11c; barrels plate beef, \$17.50; half bbls., do., \$9.00; compound lard, 8½ to 9½c; pure lard, 12½ to 13c; kettle rendered, 13 to 13½c; hams, 12½ to 14c; breakfast bacon, 14 to 15c; Windsor bacon, 15 to 16c; fresh killed abattoir dressed hogs, \$5.75; live, \$7 to \$7.10.

UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Buffalo, Sept. 8.—Wheat—Spring higher; Winter easier; No. 2 red,

red on Thursday, in the burning of the six hundred-foot bridge between White River and Schreiber, which will take at least three days to rebuild. Bush fires are supposed to have ignited the bridge. The Imperial Limited express, which left North Bay on Wednesday night for Winnipeg, reached White River, and will have to return to Sudbury and go over the Soo line, via Minneapolis, to Winnipeg. Trains from Winnipeg will also have to use the Soo line, via Minneapolis, until the bridge is replaced.

BRAKES TAMPERED WITH.

Rubber Tubes Under the Cars Found to be Cut.

A despatch from Montreal says: A criminal attempt to interfere with a railway train was made on Tuesday night by parties unknown. A train of freight cars was pulling out of the C. P. R. yard in Hochelaga it was noticed by a brakeman that the pneumatic brakes were not working properly. The train was stopped, and it was found that about 50 rubber air tubes had been maliciously cut under the cars. If this had not been noticed in time the train crew believed it would have been the cause of a serious wreck, with loss of life. Detectives have been notified, and arrests are likely to follow.

HORSE WAS CUT IN TWO.

Occupants of Rig Had Narrow Escape Near Garden Hill.

A despatch from Lindsay says: Mr. Dean, a resident of Manvers Township, and two companions had a narrow escape from death, near Garden Hill, while trying to cross the track before the approaching G. T. R. passenger train, on Thursday. The horse was cut completely in two, and the occupants of the buggy were precipitated almost under the wheels of the engine.

THANKSGIVING OCTOBER 19th.

Wishes of Commercial Travelers Will be Granted.

A despatch from Ottawa says: It is likely that Monday, Oct. 19th, will be selected as the date of Thanksgiving. Previously it has always taken place on a Thursday, but the commercial travelers have long agitated for Monday being chosen, and their wishes have been acceded to.

\$25,000,000 LOSS BY FIRE

Enormous Damage in British Columbia During the Season.

A despatch from Victoria, B. C., says: The heavy rains of the past few days have worked incalculable good in all but extinguishing the forest fires that have for weeks been raging in the Cowichan district and thence toward the heart of Vancouver Island. The fire centered in the vicinity of the Mount Sicker mining camp, where all save five buildings in what is quite a flourishing mining village went up in flames.

The cream of the island's most accessible timber wealth has been

licked up by the fires, and the C. P. R., the Victoria and Chemainus Lumber Company and the Cowichan and Ladysmith Lumber Companies are heavy sufferers, their losses running far into six figures.

It is estimated that forest fires thus far this season throughout British Columbia have caused losses approximating \$25,000,000. The heaviest of these losses was in the Crow's Nest section, where the destruction of the Town of Fernie was a heavy contribution to the paralyzing total.

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Speddy Relief for Corns.—Chew good, fresh gum until flavor is gone. While warm from the mouth bind on corn. This removes the inflammation and causes corn to peel off gradually, giving relief.

A Handy "Necessity Box."—Have a box in a convenient place, and keep these things in it: 10 cents' worth iodiform, 10 cents' worth adhesive plaster, 10 cents' worth carbolic acid, some sterilized gauze, and surgeon's cotton.

Cough Cure—To 5 cents' worth of whole flaxseed add three pints of water. Boil fifteen or twenty minutes, strain, and add juice of three lemons, one-half pound of rock candy, and one ounce glycerine. Take wineglass of this three or four times a day and before retiring. It will cure the worst cough in two days.

Light for Sick Room.—In the country and small towns, where gas and electric lights are not to be found, hang a lantern from a hook screwed into the bottom of an upper window sash on the outside. The light in the room may be regulated by raising or lowering the shade. This obviates the heat and odor produced by a kerosene lamp in a room.

Cooling the Sick Room.—In the cool of the morning cut small branches from a tree, preferably maple. Fasten over screens at open windows and sprinkle with cold water with a whisk broom, repeating often during the day. The air, coming through the wet leaves, becomes cooled. This is a fine thing when there are no trees near the house.

Camphor Cures Colds.—Take gum camphor and dissolve in kerosene, having enough so that there is always a little camphor undissolved in the bottom of the bottle. Rub the lame parts thoroughly and often with this and you will have relief. Do not bandage it on as it will blister if used that way. This is also an excellent remedy for cold in throat or lungs. Rub it in well.

IMMIGRANTS BARRED OUT.

323 Were Refused Admission to Canada.

A despatch from Ottawa says: On the first of April last inspectors were placed along the international boundary and for the three months ending 30th June last 323 people were refused admission into Canada from the United States. From 1st January to 30th June 437 immigrants were refused landing at ocean ports, and during the same period 872 were returned to the countries whence they came by the Immigration Department.

SECTION HAND WAS SHOT.

Boy Carrying Rifle Accidentally Discharged It.

A despatch from Kingston says: James Ferguson, a section hand on the Grand Trunk, was accidentally shot in the left arm on Wednesday morning by a boy named Henry Knox. Knox was bringing a rifle into the city to have repairs made. He was carrying it with the barrel towards the track, when it accidentally exploded, hitting Ferguson in the arm. The bullet entered just above the elbow, passing through the muscle and entering his side. Fortunately the force of the bullet was spent when it entered the man's side or fatal results might have followed.

UNITED STATES.

The people of the northwestern States are agitating for the free admission of Canadian lumber.

Detroit capitalists are said to have purchased the Leamington lighting plant.

Four seamen on the British bark Puritan were suffocated in the hold of the vessel near Boston.

Rev. Wm. Patterson, formerly of Cooke's Church, Toronto, was stricken with apoplexy in a bank at Philadelphia, on Friday.

Eight trolley cars loaded with excursionists were stalled by potato bugs on the rails near Bristol, Conn.

John E. Redmond, the Irish Nationalist leader, has declared the Irish University act to be one of the greatest emancipating measures of the century.

GENERAL.

Four thousand houses were destroyed in a fire at Niigata, Japan.

A railway from Damascus to Medina, the holy city, was opened on Thursday.

W. T. R. Preston prophesies that in fifty years Japan will have a population of 70,000,000.

The Japanese steamer Bankoku Moru was sunk off Cluba Prefecture with a loss of twenty-eight lives.

An edict issued in the name of the Emperor promises the Chinese people a constitution in nine years.

Sir Robert Hart, Director-General of Chinese Customs, thinks a constitution would be of little value to the people of China at present.

According to a forecast of a reciprocity treaty between Canada and the West Indies, the islands are to give Canada a preference on food-stuffs and machinery, and Canada is to reciprocate with a preference on raw cocoa, fruit and sugar.

A widespread political conspiracy including plans to murder Lord Minto and other high officials, has been revealed in India.

The great oil fire near Tampico, Mexico, which burned for two months, consuming \$3,000,000 worth of oil, has been extinguished.

THOUSANDS HOMELESS.

Disastrous Fire in a Nevada Mining Camp.

A despatch from Rawhide, Nev., says: Three thousand people homeless, a score or more injured and a property loss of over \$750,000 is the result of a disastrous fire which started on Friday morning in the Rawhide Drug Company's building. Fanned by a gale, the fire swept rapidly south and east to Balloon avenue and up Rawhide avenue to within sixty yards of the People's Hospital. Over a ton and a half of dynamite was used in the demolition of buildings, which in a measure stayed the flames' progress. The volunteer fire department and five hundred miners worked heroically, but owing to the inflammable construction of the buildings they were swept away like tinder. At 11 a.m. the business portion of Rawhide avenue was a smoldering ruin, the flames being finally checked south of Balloon avenue. Collin's hardware store, containing two tons of dynamite, exploded, hurling burning planks and boards a great distance and setting fire to numbers of buildings simultaneously. Many persons were injured by flying debris, but none seriously.

Fashion Hints.

FADS AND FANCIES.

White elastic belts studded with steel nail heads are shown in the narrow and girdle widths.

The newest slippers are made of furniture brocades; tapestries also are being put to the same use.

Wire rolls are now being used as rolls for the hair, instead of those made of hair. They are lighter and healthier.

The latest hat pins have enormous flat or round heads. The real amber and the imitation are especially popular.

The noblest waistcoats are of fancy cretonnes. These are supposed to give color to the most sombre costumes.

A shell ribbon needle for drawing the ribbon through the hair is now considered a necessity for a complete outfit.

The princess underslips are the proper thing for lingerie gowns. They are not expensive and are to be had in all colors.

Pongee parasols are being sold in all colors. The natural pongee is considered exceedingly smart. Some have a broad border in another color.

The newest sash is made of the moire and heavier ribbons. It is tied with two small loops and two long ends at the centre of the back.

Jet ornaments are being sold more than ever to trim hats. They are made up into ropes, embroidered bands, leaves, aigrettes, and large flowers.

There is a greater demand for sashes this season than there has been in years. The pompadour and large floral effects are much favored, although solid colors are sold.

The newest handbag is of white linen. It is attractive and dainty in the extreme. All the needle work is on the flap, which is finished with a neat scallop. A few have solid dots.

Crettonne is being used for everything imaginable just now. Especially pretty are the work bags, to be had as cheap as 25 cents, and the glove cases and handkerchief boxes, to be had at 50 cents.

The white embroidered and braided belts are the belts sold for shirtwaists. Generally the embroidery is back with the buckle in front, although some of the belts have the order reversed.

The newest parasols are trimmed both on the outside and the inside. The latter trimming usually is a rich lace flounce. It is allowed to droop irregularly like the hat flounces of the season.

The liberty sashes in white and colors are the proper trimming for the lingerie gown. They are made to be tied around the waist, then drawn to the front and tied in a knot a few inches below the waist line.

The novelty of the arm garter has not yet worn off, and will continue as long as the elbow sleeve is in fashion. The most favored are made of broad elastic covered with shirred ribbon and trimmed with loops of different lengths.

The singular ring worn on the little finger is the reigning style. For the young girl it is of plain gold with the school motto or fraternity

YOUNG FOLKS

CLARE'S SHOPPING.

Clare tripped along the city street.

"Your slippers surely are shamefully worn out, Flaxie," she said, looking tenderly down at the dolly in her arms. "I kept thinking about them all the time the boot man was fitting my new ties. But never mind! He has a whole glass box of the sweetest little shoes for you to choose from. And here we are now!"

Clare was so little that the man in the shop had to open the door for her.

"Good morning, Mr. Gray!" she said. "I've brought Flaxie in to get all kinds of shoes and slippers to wear this summer, just the way mother got them for Mabel and me. We're going away to the country to-morrow, you see." She plumped Flaxie down in one of the chairs where people sit to try on shoes.

Mr. Gray smiled. "Let me see, you're Mrs. Holden's little girl, aren't you? Yes, I remember; you were in yesterday. Well, we'll do our best for dolly. Some blue ankle-ties perhaps would suit her?"

"Lovely!" sighed Clare, settling back in a chair beside Flaxie. "And a pair of red ones, too, please, and some high button-up boots to wear on cold days. I want them all to be loose and comfortable."

Mr. Gray opened the glass case and brought out the three pairs, as Flaxie's mama directed.

"Put out your foot, Flaxie, dear, and try them on," she said. "Oh, aren't they beautiful and shiny? You must be careful of them."

Flaxie, as smiling as her mama, was promptly fitted.

"They seem just right," said Clare. "You don't think they'll pinch her toes, Mr. Gray?"

"Surely not," he replied, gravely. "They're a half-size larger than her old ones. Now shall I send them over to your house, and the bill with them?" he asked.

"Yes," said Clare, rather slowly, for she felt a little uncertain as to this matter of the bill. "Only Flaxie must have a new pair of rubbers, too, to wear in the wet grass, and, oh! a pair of those cunning rubber boots, so she can wade in puddles if she wants to. You must sit still a few minutes longer, Flaxie, for I can't risk your getting wet feet."

Mr. Gray tried on the boots and rubbers very quickly, and in a short time Clare and Flaxie were on the way home.

"Well, that shopping is attended to!" thought the little mother, contentedly.

Just after luncheon there came a package to the house.

"It's from Gray's!" exclaimed Mrs. Holden. "Why, the children's shoes came yesterday!"

"These are probably Flaxie's shoes," remarked Clare. "I was just longing to have them come."

"Flaxie's!" exclaimed the whole family together.

"Yes, and they're lovely," answered Clare, snatching the boxes and tumbling out the little shoes.

"And a bill for three dollars," added Mrs. Holden. "Why, Clare, how did you happen to buy things without mother's permission?"

"Naughty Clare!" cried Mabel,

WRECK ON GRAND TRUNK

Seven Coaches Leave the Rails--Eight Passengers Injured.

A despatch from Woodstock, Ont., says: A trainload of passengers had a miraculous escape in an accident just west of Gobles station, ten miles east of here, at five o'clock on Thursday morning. No. 4 G. T. R. eastbound express was running along through a deep bush at the rate, it is said, of fifty miles an hour, when the train apparently struck a broken rail. The engine and front end of the first car kept the track, then the next seven coaches were tumbled over the tracks and rear coach stayed on.

Two of the coaches left the tracks and were half buried in the earth. Fortunately all kept upright, and it was probably due to this that passengers escaped so well.

Several received minor injuries. One man had his head bruised and another a foot injured. All the passengers received a terrible shaking up as the coaches bumped along the ties and came to a sudden stop.

The list of injured is as follows: Mrs. H. Howland, address unknown, old lady in bad condition from shock, taken to Brantford; Mrs. Eugene Butrel, of Chicago, recently passed through operation, dangerous condition from shock; Henry Barlow, Woodstock, lacerated and bruised; Eugene Cruch, New York, internal injuries; Mrs. E. M. Bendur, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., bone in hand broken; W. S. Burton, sprained ankle; G. B. Daniel, knee hurt; H. A. Schebah, Chicago, abrasions of shoulder.

ON THE FARM

MATCHING FARM TEAMS.

Matching horses is an art, and an art which quite a number of farmers and horsemen seem unable to master. It requires some skill and judgment to bring together a pair of horses that resemble each other in all characteristics sufficient to work in harmony. A man has to have more than the color of the animals in mind to do this successfully. To have a team closely alike in color and markings is desirable, but it's not the whole thing, as some men seem to think.

Action comes first when considering the matching of horses. Proper action; strong, clean, vigorous movement of feet and legs, attracts a buyer more quickly than anything else. Style is required in the action of any class of horse. A snappy, straight and balanced movement of the motive apparatus; a team, each of which stands up to the bit in about the same way, are attractive to buyers and pleasing to the man who drives them.

In a farm team, strength and conformation might possibly be placed before action; at any rate, it should come second. A team ill-matched in regard to strength and staying powers, is a mighty poor asset. In selecting horses to work against each other in a team, get them in general conformation as nearly alike as possible, good and strong behind, and muscled well in the back and loin, short and thick in the middle, with muscles, not fat, beneath the hide. Size, to a certain extent, may be sacrificed for strength and conformation, but only within certain limits. A difference of a hundred pounds or so in weight doesn't matter greatly when a pair is being matched up, but if much more than that, the difference in size will be so clear as to detract from the value of the team. Size is important, but it comes after strength, just as strength and conformation follow action in relative importance. Color comes last of all in the major

fatten their fowls in coops in this country is small compared with the number of those who do not fatten at all, but send their fowls to market in a lean state, and there are also numbers of poultry keepers who enclose fowls for a couple of weeks in a pen or shed. Something can be done towards improving the condition of chickens by shutting them up in a shed and feeding liberally on nutritious and high fattening foods. The foods may be made up in the same way, and may consist of the same ingredients as recommended for crate fattening. It is best not to shut up a large number of birds together, and the number not to exceed twenty, whilst half that many would do still better. Cockrels and pullets must not be penned in one lot, and the nearer all the fowls in a pen are to another in breed, age and size, the better. Chickens may be penned in any kind of enclosure, where they will be undisturbed and where they cannot take too much exercise; but a shed or covered pen is best, as the floor will keep dry, and the birds will be all the more contented from being shut away from the sight of birds roaming about the yards.

The experienced fancier will always get best results from fattening in coops; but the beginner is generally more successful with fattening fowls in pens, because there is not the same tendency to loss of appetite, provided that due care is taken to feed only sweet and wholesome foods and not to feed more than the birds will eat at any meal. There are opportunities of feeding a greater variety of stuffs to fowls in pens than to those in coops. Whole grain may be given occasionally, although it is not recommended unless the birds become listless, and show marked loss of appetite, and green food may also be fed occasionally as a pick-me-up. Cleanliness and thorough ventilation in the house are absolute essentials to success, and it must not be supposed for a moment that the "pon system" of fattening is one which lends itself to carelessness, and the shirking of duties which ought to be performed with machine-like regularity.

as long as the elbow sleeve is in fashion. The most favored are made of broad elastic covered with shirred ribbon and trimmed with loops of different lengths.

The singular ring worn on the little finger is the reigning style. For the young girl it is of plain gold with the school motto or fraternity letters carved into it. Older women are wearing colored stones set in odd designs or small diamonds set solid in heart, oblong, or crescent shapes.

Beaded handbags are modish. Though made in a great variety of patterns and colors, the exquisite fine Arabian design worked in white with delicate tones of pink, blue, and green are loveliest. These are to be had from \$2 up, according to the beauty of the design and workmanship.

Never have silk gloves been so popular. They are being worn in all lengths, from mitts to the high glove for evening wear. Though being sold in all colors, the white, green, and light blue are considered especially modish. The handsomest are edged with a border of open-work embroidery. Others are trimmed with hand embroidery done in exquisite design.

Ribbons are made up in every shape of bow, loop and rosettes. The newest uses to which they are put are they are being formed into quills, cockades, and wings. The quills are made by taking a heavy wire, winding it round and round with a folded taffeta ribbon, and then a fine plaiting of the ribbon, standing out from the stem as the feathered part would. Wings are made of the ribbon plaited on the bias and the finest wire run inside of each fold. They are caught together at the lower end and bent to suit.

GOOD NEWS FOR THE SOO.

The Algoma Steel Works to Start Again Soon.

A despatch from Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., says: Superintendent D. D. Lewis of the Algoma Steel Company announced on Friday afternoon that the plant will be running in full force by October 1. Notices have been posted at the works saying that the blast furnaces will resume operations on Tuesday, September 15, and the Bessemer open hearth blooming and rail mills will start up again at 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning, October 1. It is understood that the company has received several satisfactory orders of late, and with the brightening of the financial horizon it is hoped the mills will be enabled to continue running for a long time.

RIOT AT GLASGOW.

Four Hundred Men Made a Raid on the City Hall.

A despatch from Glasgow, Scotland, says: Four hundred unemployed workmen secretly assembled on Thursday afternoon, rushed to the municipal building, and almost got into the Council Hall, where the weekly meeting was proceeding. The chamber doors were locked just in time to prevent the mob from entering. The unemployed men held the members of the Council prisoners, kicking the massive oak doors until the police arrived, and eventually dispersed the crowd. The unemployed, on Thursday evening, issued a manifesto threatening a recurrence of the bread riots and declaring that 60,000 men and women and 100,000 children were crying for bread in a city of plenty.

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"And a bill for three dollars," added Mrs. Holden. "Why, Clare, how did you happen to buy things without mother's permission?"

"Naughty Clare!" cried Mabel, reprovingly.

"Don't say anything, Mabel. She didn't quite understand," said Mrs. Holden. Then she took Clare into the library. Afterward Clare told Flaxie all about it while she got her ready to go out in her carriage.

"You see, Flaxie, it wasn't like the times when mother sends us to the store for a yeastcake and tells us to say, 'Charge it.' Because she didn't tell us to go. We went without her knowing it, and now somebody's got to pay Mr. Gray for the shoes. And it wasn't mother that bought them; it was you and I, Flaxie; so I'm going to pay for them out of my housebank there on the bureau. Mother's getting the screw-driver now so we can open the little door. And we're going to take out all the pennies and nickels and the dimes, Flaxie, and count out three dollars. Then we're going to Mr. Gray's shop this afternoon and pay them to him. Come here till I tie your bonnet, dear. Mother says that there will be hardly any pennies left in the housebank at all afterward. I've been saving them so long, too! But then, Flaxie, it is the only way to do if I want to be fair, isn't that so?" And it really seemed as if Flaxie nodded her head.—Youth's Companion.

LAND FOR WAR VETERANS.

Militia Department Has Issued Form of Application.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Militia Department has issued the forms of application for the land bounties under the Act of last session. The forms provide for the cases of officers, for non-commissioned officers and men who were enlisted in Canada, for men who were not members of corps raised in Canada, but who otherwise served in South Africa, and for officers and men who served in the corps which did not reach South Africa before the close of the war. The applicants have, in the case of non-coms. and privates, to send in their discharges, which will be returned. All the applicants have to be sworn to before a commissioner. The forms of application can be obtained either from the Militia Department or from any district officer commanding. Early application is advisable in order that the applications may be passed upon by the Militia Department and forwarded to the Department of the Interior, which will issue the warrants to the individuals concerned.

FROM THE WESTERN STATES.

One Thousand Settlers Arrive at Northport, Sask.

A despatch from Northport, Sask., says: The regular train from Minneapolis and St. Paul arrived on Friday in two sections of fifteen cars each. The trains brought in about one thousand settlers and homeseekers from the western States, all of whom were of a desirable class. Large quantities of household effects and farm implements are following by freight. All are enthusiastic over their prospects. Many had made previous trips to spy out the land.

but if much more than that, the difference in size will be so clear as to detract from the value of the team. Size is important, but it comes after strength, just as strength and conformation follow action in relative importance. Color comes last of all in the major points to be considered. A difference in color, however marked, is among the least objectionable features in a team. Yet, strangely, some men consider it the all-important consideration, and will match up horses so unlike in action and temperament, that one's whiffle-tree is always scouring the wagon wheel, while the other is drawing ahead keen and strong to the bit, so unlike in strength and conformation that one is fagged out hours before the other shows fatigue; but if the two stand about the same in height, weigh up very nearly alike, and resemble each other in color and markings, they are rated as a well-matched team. In reality, they are anything but matched.

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succeed, and it must not be supposed for a moment that the "pon system" of fattening is one which lends itself to carelessness, and the shirking of duties which ought to be performed with machine-like regularity.

OIL FROM SHALES.

New Industry May be Started in Canada.

A despatch from Ottawa says: As a result of a visit of Dr. R. W. Ellis, of the Geological Survey, a new industry may be started in Canada to extract oil from shales. Dr. Ellis went to Scotland some months ago, taking about forty-five tons of shale from the Baltimore district of Albert County to be tested. Dr. Ellis has not yet received full reports of the distillations, but judging from what had been learned, however, the Albert County shale compares most favorably with the Scottish article, not only in oil producing qualities, but in the value of the by-products.

THE WORLD AGAINST BRITAIN

Combined Crusade Will Proceed on the New Patent Law.

A despatch from London says: A despatch to the London Daily Mail from Berlin says the great manufacturing nations of the world have taken preliminary steps in a crusade against the new British patent law. The project originated with the Trade and Patent Congress, which was in session at Stockholm, from Aug. 26 to Aug. 30. All the delegates to the congress, including those from the United States, expressed the opinion that radical measures were necessary to bring Great Britain to terms. It was decided that this could be attained by the various nations passing more restrictive patent laws, and by negotiating patent treaties between nations which will waive the

domestic patent laws so far as the treaty power is concerned.

Arrangements for a coalition against Great Britain will proceed without delay. It is expected that the discussion in congress of the proposed new American Patent Act will give an impetus to the movement, and it is hoped that the matter will by Spring have progressed to a point where Great Britain will be effectively isolated. It is believed that British manufacturers will then be compelled to press the Government to repeal the Act, or make treaties with other countries. Germany intends to repeal her present patent law, which is not enforced rigidly. She will then be in a position to combine with other nations against Great Britain.

FELL 500 FEET FROM AIRSHIP

A Well Known Aeronaut Killed at the Maine Fair.

A despatch from Waterville, Maine, says: In full view of 25,000 horrified spectators on the Central Maine Fair grounds here late on Wednesday, Chas. Oliver Jones, the well known aeronaut of Hammondsport, N. Y., fell distance of 500 feet to his death. Among the witnesses of the frightful plunge were the man's wife and child, and they were almost the first to reach his side after the accident. The aeronaut expired about an hour and a half after the tragic event.

When the aeronaut reached a height of more than 500 feet the spectators were amazed to see small tongues of flame issuing from under

the gas bag in front of the motor. At this time the balloon had passed out of the fair grounds. Several minutes elapsed before Jones noticed the fire. Then he grasped the rip cord and by letting out the gas endeavored to reach the earth. The machine had descended but a short distance, when a sudden burst of flame enveloped the gas bag, the frame work immediately separating from the bag.

Jones fell with the frame of his motor, and when the spectators reached him he was lying under it about a quarter of a mile from the fair grounds. The gas bag, which fell nearby, was completely destroyed.

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Foster's Malicious Lies.

Mr. Foster goes about the country with malice in his heart and lies on his lips. Here are some examples:

He stated that Mr. Turriff, Commissioner of Dominion Lands, when he opened tenders for timber retired to a dark and secluded room having an ironbound door; after locking the door and putting the key in his pocket he opened the tenders in secret." Mr. Turriff told him to his face this was a "deliberate lie," and the evidence before the Public Accounts Committee proved that there was no such room in the building, no iron-bound door in the building, and that Mr. Turriff always opened the tenders in the presence of another official.

Did Mr. Foster retract? No! He had not the courage to repeat the statement when challenged to his face to do so, nor the honesty to withdraw when his statement was proved false.

When Mr. Foster stated in the House that Mr. Jackson, of Selkirk, Manitoba, had been elected by the use of the thin red line, and Mr. Jackson challenged him to prove it, he withdrew the statement, but afterwards repeated the charge in campaign literature, and when his attention was called to it he made no attempt to rectify the false statement he had caused to be circulated.

When Mr. Foster accused Mr. Brodeur of stealing money by using it for a purpose other than that for which it was voted—and it was proved that he (Foster) had done precisely the same thing when he was minister—did he withdraw and express regret? No; he said he had become wiser than he was.

Did Mr. Foster express any regret because he had been found guilty of gambling with the trust funds of the Foresters? No; he vented his spleen upon the members of the commission who had found him out.

Reid Made Foolish.

When Dr. Reid undertook to prove that the goods purchased for the Arctic would not go on board, and the evidence before the special committee proved that they could, and did, go on board, did he express regret? No; he repeats the statement and causes it to be put in campaign literature.

Taylor Also Failed.

When Mr. Taylor, chief Conservative whip, stated in the House that goods in excess of the requirements of the Arctic expedition had been purchased at exorbitant prices, and when given a committee failed to prove it, did he withdraw the statement? No; he repeats it on the public platform.

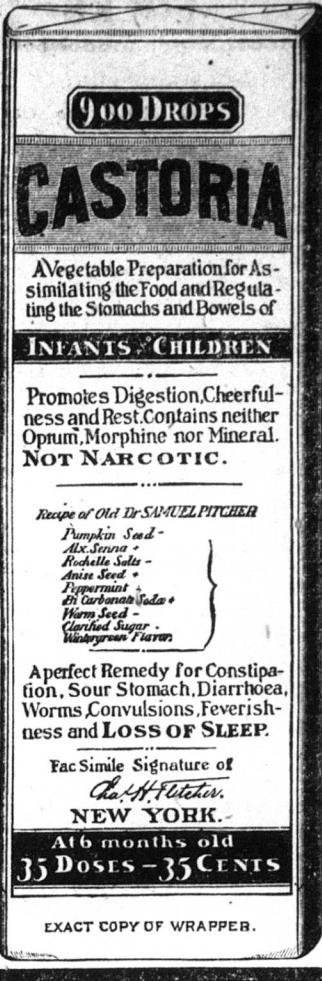
"Easy Terms" Bennett.

When Mr. Bennett charged that the money of the country was wasted by not calling for tenders for certain dredging contracts, and it was proved that the work was done cheaper by continuing last year's contracts, did he withdraw it? No; he persisted in the statement that the money of the people was being wasted. This is the man who wanted to buy an island from the Government on easy terms.

What Tories Did.

When the Conservatives charge that the Liberal Government have dissipated the timber lands, do they tell the people that the Conservative Government gave them away, free, to the extent of 23,000 square miles?

Do the Conservatives tell the people that in one year, 1883, they divided among members of the Government, members of parliament, senators, and defeated Conservative candidates, 10,326 square miles of timber, free?



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settler do the Conservatives tell these facts to the people, with the additional fact that the Liberal Government has never given one acre to a railway since coming into power?

Judge Between Them.

Do the Conservatives tell the people that in eighteen years they only gave 9,952,340 acres to homesteaders, and that in twelve years the Liberal Government has given 35,501,600 acres free to actual homesteaders settled upon the land?

How about the land for the settler? The Conservatives gave the land to the corporation, the monopolist, and the land was kept vacant until the hard working farmer near to it made it valuable and then another hard working farmer had to pay big pieces out of his hard-earned savings to acquire from a grasping corporation what the Government should have given him free.

Do the Conservatives tell the people that the odd numbered sections were reserved by them for eighteen years, as land grants for railway corporations, who were in no hurry to select their land, because after selection they became liable to provincial and municipal taxation?

Land for the Settler.

Do the Conservatives tell the people that the Liberal Government insisted upon the land being selected and thus caused some 30,000,000 acres to be thrown open to settlement, of which at least 20,000,000 acres are among the most arable land in the west?

What did the Government do with

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applied for and secured timber lands to keep their mills supplied? Nothing was said of them. How about the free timber limits which Mr. Burrows secured from the Conservative Government with which to supply his mills? Not a word was said. One is driven to the conclusion that every operation in timber put through by this Government since coming into power was open, above board and beyond criticism excepting only in the case of Mr. Burrows. Did the fact that he was a Liberal have anything to do with the in-

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POLITICAL NEWS!

The Conservative party is now engaged in making an appeal to the electors of Canada. This appeal is conveyed through three channels—slander, scandal, and extravagance. The serious feature of the Conservative campaign is that the leader of the party, Mr. Borden, has launched what is known as the Halifax platform, but, so far, no speaker on the Conservative side takes the trouble to allude to it. It is ignored as completely as if it never existed.

Borden Platform Ignored.

A platform that does not inspire a party cannot be expected to influence a people. When leaders in the party make campaign tours, loudly proclaimed in advance by their press, and stoutly maintain silence with regard to the issue as announced by the leader of the Opposition himself, it is not remarkable that the people decline to accept the platform seriously.

Will the people accept the assurances of a party that relies upon slander?

Will the people accept a party that alleges scandals but presents no proof?

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Do the Conservatives tell the people that in one year, 1883, they divided among members of the Government, members of parliament, senators, and defeated Conservative candidates, 10,326 square miles of timber, free?

Do the Conservatives tell the people that they gave away for nothing more timber in one year than the Liberals have sold since they came into power?

Do the Conservatives tell the people that they disposed of 29,322 square miles of timber at \$4.13 per square mile, and that the Liberals only disposed of 6,456 square miles in twelve years and got \$81.92 per square mile for it?

Scandals That Failed.

When it was conclusively proved that the Saskatchewan Valley Land Company was formed to buy lands which the Tory Government had given to a railway company, of which E. B. Osler, Conservative member in the House, was a large holder, and that the railway company refused to take them because they were unfit for settlement. Did the Conservatives cease their accusation and slander? No; they persisted in saying that the country had been robbed and the settler deprived of the land.

When the evidence before the Agriculture Committee proved that the North Atlantic Trading Company had only been paid bonus on the immigrants to which they were entitled, did Mr. Foster withdraw his statement that the company was paid bonus upon every immigrant landing in the country? No. He accepted the fact, but continued to circulate outside the deliberate falsehood uttered in the House.

The Conservatives who are going about the country repeating slanders, uttered in the House, and which have been disproved by evidence which is on record, are not acting an honorable part, and they cannot succeed to power by such methods.

There has not been one so-called scandal brought up in the House which has been proved, on the contrary they have one by one been disproved.

The people have been led to believe that the administration of the timber lands was thoroughly searched and examined. What are the facts? Out of 6,456 square miles of timber sold by the present Government, the only transactions looked into were those in which Mr. Burrows was interested. What about the Conservatives who

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Only a Political Dodge.

Was this a legitimate investigation into the timber administration of the Government, or was it simply a political attempt to discredit a political opponent? The record shows that Mr. Ames suggested dishonesty because more than one cheque accompanied the Burrows tenders. When evidence was put into show that other tenderers did the same thing, Mr. Ames objected to it going in. In the case of Mr. Burrows, he was willing that the public should be led to think there was something wrong, but in the case of any other tenderer he did not desire to cast any imputation.

This same gentleman, "Mr. Ames," having failed to prove anything moved that the committee drop the investigation. He is now engaged in showing pictures of large trees, which he would have the people believe are a fair sample of the limits granted. Photographs might be taken of the same limits in which no trees at all would be visible, but such pictures would not serve to illustrate his lecture.

Mr. Ames is peculiarly suspicious, but strange to say, his suspicious do not extend to any transaction between this Government and any Conservative, who may have had some business relations with any department.

Tories Favored Speculators.

Have the people been informed by the Conservatives, who criticize the land policy of the present Government that the former Conservative Government voted for railways no less than 66,000,000 acres, by way of subsidy, and that the Liberal Government has never voted one acre for such purpose?

Do the people know that this land at the small valuation of \$1.50 per acre, a sum far below its value, means that property of the people worth \$99,000,000 was given away by the Conservative Government for nothing to corporations?

The people are reminded that this land would give a homestead of 160 acres each to 41,000 farmers, and provide a living for a population of 2,000,000 souls!

These lands were locked up by the Conservative Government in the interests of railway corporations and kept from sale until the industry of surrounding settlers gave them a value which enabled the railways to sell them at high prices.

When accusing the Liberal Government of not keeping the land for the

do the Conservatives tell the people that the Liberal Government insisted upon the land being selected and thus caused some 30,000,000 acres to be thrown open to settlement, of which at least 20,000,000 acres are among the most arable land in the west?

What did the Government do with their land which Conservative policy had tied up for a generation?

Divide them among the supporters of the Government, members of Parliaments, Senators and defeated candidates as the Conservatives did with the timberland? No. The odd numbered sections were thrown open first to actual homesteaders and next for sale at \$3 per acre, a price fixed by statute, to the actual settler, who must perform settlement duty and reside on the land.

Can the Conservatives sustain their charge that the land has not been reserved for the settler in face of the fact that 35,000,000 acres are under occupancy by homesteaders put on by the Liberal Government?

Can it be successfully contended that the settler has not been carefully considered and his interests guarded when it is remembered that the thirty million acres of land released from the embargo placed upon them years ago by Conservative have been set aside exclusively for settlers by the present Government?

Stander That Failed.

The charge that the land has not been given to the settler, but the speculator, is a slander, and as such it will be denounced by the men of the West who are on the land, and who got it from a Liberal Government.

The charge of extravagance has no more foundation upon which to rest than the other charges. In 1896 Canada was struggling under a burden of debt heaped up by the Conservatives of \$118,000,000 in eighteen years, and a revenue which would not pay running expenses. The people turned out of power the incompetent men who had plundered the public domain for their own selfish interests and handed over millions of acres to rich corporations so that they might sell them to the farmer and become richer. The reins of office were given over to the Liberals who promised either to reduce the expenses or increase the revenue. They did more than they promised. They increased the revenue, conducted the department more economically than ever before, and reduced the rate of taxation 13 per cent all round.

Liberals Brought Good Times.

Then good times appeared. Canada entered upon a period of prosperity unequalled in the history of the country. Trade became vitalized and increased from \$230,000,000 to \$650,000,000 in twelve years. The revenue bounded up to very near the hundred

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million mark, and instead of going behind each year, there was a substantial surplus at the end of every fiscal year, until 1908, when the bumper of \$19,000,000 was reached. The public debt was only slightly increased to meet the cost of the great National Transcontinental Railway.

Can a few discredited politicians, whose very leader described them as traitors, except to gain power over the Liberal Government with a record such as this?

Quite Impossible.

Can Foster, who was discarded by his leader in 1896, described as Judas Iscariot by his party press, condemned by the Toronto News, Montreal Star, and Halifax Herald, all Conservative papers, as a man unfitted for public trust, found guilty by a Royal Commission of gambling with trust funds, a man whose private life will not bear investigation, expect to be given a high office by the Canadian people, because he preaches slander, repeats scandals which have exploded and cries extravagance where there is none?

Will the people welcome to rule over them Messrs. Fowler, Lefurgy or Bennett, who used their positions as members of Parliament to secure land from a railway corporation cheaply so that they might sell them at a big profit to the struggling settler in the Northwest?

Will Messrs. Haggart or Bergeron who got timber limits free from the Conservative Government, which they supported, be given another chance to take a cheap slice of the public domain?

Will Sam' Barker, the man who when Conservative organizer, arranged with Pritchett, an election crook, a man described by the judges as a perjurer, and a liar, that in exchange for a false affidavit he should be immune

TOWNSHIP OF RICHMOND.

Sept. 7th, 1908.

The Council met at Selby.

The members present were Messrs R. W. Paul, Reeve, and Councillors Alf McCutcheon, E. R. Sills, C. H. Spencer, and Manly Jones, the Reeve presiding.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

A motion was received and read from John Doyle to have swamp drain No. 1 cleaned out. Laid on the table.

Moved by Alf McCutcheon, seconded by E. R. Sills, that upon the notice of John Doyle to have No. 1 swamp drain cleaned out, that the Clerk notify all parties interested to do the work within 12 days from service of such notice, otherwise the Council will appoint an engineer to go out and perform said work according to the original By-law. Carried.

A communication from the Clerk of Hungerford (re) the maintenance of James Young was read. Filed.

Moved by Manly Jones, seconded by C. H. Spencer that upon the petition of Menzo Grooms and others asking a grant of \$25.00 on the side road in the 1st concession between lots 12 and 13, that the petition be granted and that amount laid out under the supervision of Robert Shannon. Carried.

Moved by C. H. Spencer, seconded by Manly Jones, that the Reeve be instructed to communicate with the Reeve of Tyendinaga in reference to some improvement on the Boundary Road, between the two townships, each to pay one half the whole amount, not to exceed \$100.00. Carried.

Moved by C. H. Spencer, seconded by E. R. Sills, that the Reeve consult our Solicitor in regard to the property of Magdalene Fralick. Carried.

A letter was received from Fred Sexsmith, \$1.00, for gravel from Township pit which was paid over to the Treasurer.

Moved by C. H. Spencer, seconded by A. McCutcheon, that Ira Anderson be appointed road master, for Selby Road Division No. 59, instead of Charles Dean, who has resigned. Carried.

A communication was received and read from H. M. Deroche, K. C., (re) the claim of Gordon Schermehorn for damage to horse which was laid over until our Solicitor was consulted.

A By-Law was introduced and passed striking the rate for 1908.

A report of John McFarlane, engineer, (re) the expense of building Grange's Bridge, crossing Sucker Creek, was presented to the Council which was read and laid on the table for investigation.

Moved by E. R. Sills, seconded by Alf McCutcheon, that the report of John McFarlane, engineer, for building Grange's Bridge crossing Sucker Creek be received and adopted, and that the Reeve and Clerk sign orders for the payment of the same amounting to \$105.00. Carried.

Moved by E. R. Sills, seconded by Alf McCutcheon, that John McFarlane, engineer, be paid the sum of \$11.40 for building two culverts, one in the swamp near McLeods, \$1.80, and the other one between the 4th and 5th concessions west of Selby. Carried.

Moved by E. R. Sills, seconded by C. H. Spencer, that the following accounts be paid: John Hudson \$1.00 for repairing side road in the 1st concession, in the year 1907; Frank Smith for 42 loads of gravel in the 2nd concession, \$4.20; Z. A. Grooms for 282 loads of gravel for various road sections, \$28.20; Wm Provins for 65 loads of gravel for road division No. 32, \$6.50; Ira Anderson \$2.00 for repairing the Town Hall platform; McTaggart, to aid, \$3.00; Robert Henderson work on the Deseronto Road, \$1.00; Municipal World for supplies \$1.04; M. S. Madole for supplies \$12.05; Fred Schrimshaw for work \$30.00; Dr. Vrooman for attending Sovereign \$6.00; John Youngs \$10.00 for the support of James Young for July and August. Carried.

The Council adjourned to meet on the first Monday in October, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a. m.

ABRAM WINTERS,
Clerk.

FISHES' FACES.

The Fascination They Have For One Lover of Nature.

Did you ever stop to examine the expression on the face of a fish? I do not mean of some notoriously grotesque fish, but of just any plain sea-faring fish. I confess that the fascination for me is the same whether I stand in front of some great collection of little monstrosities like that in the Naples aquarium or whether I sit by my dining room window and contemplate the goldfish in my little boy's glass bowl. People watch the monkeys at the zoo and remark how human they are, how sly and crafty the old ones, how cute and playful the young ones. But for steady company give me the fish. How restful they are with their mouthings, as regular as if they were governed by a balance wheel. How quiet, too, for not one word of murmured protest or of chattering fault finding do they inflict upon us!

How philosophical as they bask in the sun the livelong day or seek the occasional shade of the modest sprig of greens which forms the conventional garnishing of their watery abode! How easily gratified are their simple tastes! Surely with their good manners, their quiet deportment and their stoical bearing goldfish are the ideal companions of the mature man.

Monkeys and dogs and kittens may amuse the children by their tricks and antics, but only the grown man can appreciate the solid qualities of

Swankers.

A number of our contemporaries appear to be somewhat exercised as to the precise meaning of the word "swank." Swank, though usually called by other names, is the leading characteristic of Englishmen. Frenchmen used to talk of "perfidious Albion." It was simply another way of calling us swankers. To swank is, broadly, to make the thing that is not seem as the thing that is. — London Globe.

Not.

"Shall we marry, darling, or shall we knot?" was the short and witty line an ardent lover dispatched to the idol of his heart.

But, where the strangeness of the matter comes in, the girl replied: "I shall not. You may do as you please."

Moral Lesson Lost.

"Good for Squillips! I hear that since he quit drinking he has got rich."

"It's too bad to spoil that story, but it's the other way. Since he got rich he has quit drinking."

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Will the men whose deeds when in office brought down upon them the condemnation of the English press for grafting and electoral corruption, be other than they were, should the people return them to power? No. They would be the same, and may be worse, but the people of Canada have not lost confidence in Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his Government, and they will be returned to power by a handsome majority.

When Diamonds Burn.

The jeweler at closing time was putting his diamonds in a huge safe.

"But why do you bother to do that when two watchmen walk the shop all night long?"

"On account of fire," the jeweler replied. "Diamonds are nothing but coal—carbon they burn beautifully. Their hardness makes us think them indestructible, but as a matter of fact a fire of diamonds would be the briskest, prettiest thing in the world. Put a handful of diamonds on a plate and set a light to them. They will burn with a hard, gemlike flame till nothing is left. There will be no smoke, no soot, and at the end the plate will be as clean as though just washed—not the slightest particle even of ash will remain."

Historic Bell Recast.

There was cast in London in 1774, by Pack & Chapman, Whitechapel, a bell for the Montreal Parish Church of Notre Dame. In 1841 it was transferred to St. Patrick's, the church home of the Irish Catholics of Montreal. After being in use for 120 years, a crack developed in it. It has been taken down, and will be sent to London to be recast. The bell bears the inscription: "At proper times my voice I raise in sounding my benefactor's praise." Its christened name is "Charlotte."

Wheat Fields Follow Civilization.

From the Atlantic coast the progress of grain production has advanced westward with settlement until it now has reached the banks of the North Saskatchewan river and the foothills of the Rocky mountains. In the days of our fathers the Richeleien valley was the great wheat field. It bore forty crops in succession.

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good manners, their quiet deportment and their stately bearing, goldfish are the ideal companions of the mature man. Monkeys and dogs and kittens may amuse the children by their tricks and antics, but only the grown man can appreciate the solid qualities of the fish's character as written upon his features.

Hairs In the Watch.

"Well, sir, I had to send my watch downtown to have it cleaned out again," said an east side barter the other day. "I have to send my watch to the repair shop about once a month, and there is absolutely nothing the matter with it, except that it is full of hairs. I do not understand how the hairs can get into the works and behind the hands and mix up in the mainspring and every place as they do in my timepiece. I watched myself one month as closely as I could, and I swear I never opened the back of it. Yet at the end of the month I unscrewed the back lid, and it was full of little fine hairs. I always keep it in my pocket when I am cutting hair, but I don't see how any hairs get into the watch. Yet they must, because they are always there!"

A New Definition.

The class was studying grammar. "Now," said the teacher, "can any one give me a word ending with 'ous,' meaning full of, as in 'dangerous,' full of danger, and 'hazardous,' full of hazard?"

There was silence in the class for a moment. Then a boy sitting in the front row put out his hand.

"Well, John," said the teacher, "what is your word?"

"Please, sir," came the reply, "pious, full of pie."

A Scratch.

"How does Mrs. Sleigh get on in the club?"

"Oh, she always comes up to the scratch."

"Of course she does—the cat!"—Kansas City Newsbook.

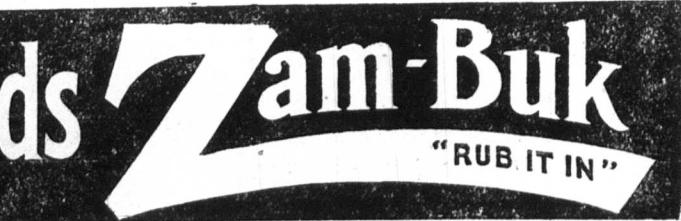
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A WALPOLE ANECDOTE.

To Save the Woman's Life She Couldn't Recall Who Told It.

"I heard a very funny story the other night about Horace Walpole," said Mrs. Blake. "I wish I could remember who told it. Henry, can you remember? Was it Mr. Sellers?"

"No," said Blake stiffly; "it wasn't Sellers."

"I wonder if it could have been Mr. Windsor?"

"No," repeated Blake; "it wasn't Windsor."

Before Mr. Blake had a chance to express an affirmative or negative opinion of that hazard as to the source of the Walpole anecdote Mr. Barton came in. Mrs. Blake, being by that time sure of herself, tried on him her recipe for winning universal affection.

"Oh, Mr. Barton," she said, "I am very glad to see you. I have hardly stopped laughing since I saw you the last time."

Mr. Barton, a cadaverous man with solemn eyes, looked rather foolish.

"Indeed?" he said. "May I ask what about?"

"Over that funny story you told about Horace Walpole," said Mrs. Blake.

"M-m-m—Horace Walpole?" stammered Mr. Barton. "I am afraid you must have got me mixed up with somebody else. I don't know the first thing about Horace Walpole, and if I did know anything funny about him I couldn't tell it. To tell a funny story is beyond my powers. Even if it was funny to start with it wouldn't be by the time I got through with it."

Mrs. Blake's spirits were somewhat dashed by her fiasco in finding an owner for the Walpole story, but she bore up courageously, and later when Mr. Markham came in she drew him out of earshot of Mr. Barton and dilated on the pleasure his story of Horace Walpole had given her. Mr. Markham was not cast in the funeral mold that gave to Mr. Barton his grave aspect, but he protested himself totally incapable of telling a funny story about Horace Walpole or anything else.

Presently Mrs. Blake left the room to prepare the sandwiches. Mr. Blake followed her.

"For the love of the Lord," he said,

"don't make a fool of yourself again by trying to get some other idiot in there to father that Walpole story. I told you that *you* myself."

Mrs. Blake stood still, with carving knife poised in air.

"You?" she said incredulously. "And it was so clever too."

A CHEMICAL FUEL.

Fluorine is a Rabid Gas That Nothing Can Resist.

The fury of the chemical world is the element fluorine, although strangely enough, it exists peacefully in company with calcium in fluorite and also in a few other compounds.

Although this element was known and named a good while ago, it long resisted the efforts of chemists to isolate it—that is, prepare it in a pure state, unmixed chemically with other substances—for the honest the compound containing it was too apt the free fluorine which combined with whatever substance composed the vessel containing it. It was finally isolated by the great French chemist Moissan.

Fluorine is a rabid gas that nothing can resist. It combines with all metals, explosively with some, or if they are already combined with some other nonmetallic element it mercilessly tears them away from it and takes them to itself.

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Glaciers.

It has been demonstrated that the glacier does not move in one block, but flows, accommodating itself to the channel in which it moves. Professor Tyndall planted a row of sticks in a straight line across a glacier, and after a few days the line had become a crescent, with the concavity upward, showing that the middle of the glacier moved faster than the sides, just as in a river the stream is stronger in the center.

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CHAPTER IV.

The Waltz.

"DANCE with me!" repeated Sonia.

The faroff orchestra had struck up a dashing, gay Marsian air. Impelled by the music and her glance of daring Danilo sprang forward.

In an instant the two were whirling madly amid the intricacies of a wild Russian dance such as has for countless centuries been performed from Siberia's ice plain to Tartar steppes—a dance of youth, agility, utter abandon.

Yet as they came panting to a halt at the last crashing note of music the face of neither reflected the exhilaration the swift motion and stirring measures usually evoked. In fact, Danilo's brow wore a very perceptible scowl. Sonia, too, was downcast. Had her rash experiment failed?

"You didn't enjoy that," said she.

"Not especially," he confessed. "Did you?"

"No. You don't dance as well as you did."

"You've probably grown to prefer French partners," he replied, piqued at the reflection on his dancing.

"From all I hear," she retorted, "you have little right to reproach me on that score. You dance a good deal at Maxim's, don't you?"

"Now and then," he admitted.

"And with what sort of partners, I wonder?" she scoffed, a touch of scorn in her sweet voice.

"With polite ones," said Danilo icily.

She winced ever so little at the reproof and went on.

"I suppose you dance better with them than with me."

"Possibly," he agreed. "You see, I, too, may prefer French partners."

She raised her great dark eyes to his, a world of meaning in them.

"Do you?" she asked, almost in a whisper.

The distant orchestra had been playing again, this time not a native air, but a dreamy, infinitely sweet Viennese waltz. The opening notes of the haunting melody, though softened by distance, were wafted none the less distinctly to the listening couple.

Valz (Moderato)
con esito sentito



Again their eyes met. With a mutual impulse they drew toward each other. Then began a dance as different from the stiffly conventional ballroom waltz as moonlight differs from a gasoline flare. With more than a hint of the free, marvelously graceful poses of Slavonic dancers, Danilo and Sonia began their wondrous waltz.

Throwing herself back into the strength of his circling embrace, the girl's outstretched arms swayed like

dor. "Preposterous! I'll find a way of stopping it! And it is De Jolidon she thinks of marrying?"

"What's that to me? I don't know who she's engaged to, and"—

But Popoff waited to hear no more. Catching sight of Nish, he rushed upon that unhappy clerk.

"Find M. de Jolidon!" he commanded. "Keep your eye on him all the rest of the evening. See if he makes love to the widow and report to me. I have already told Mme. Popoff to sound him on the subject. Among us all we ought to learn something before we're done."

"You'll learn 'something' if you keep on spying," muttered Danilo under his breath as he moved away. "But I'll bet a year's income it'll be something that will give you more surprise than pleasure."

Dusk was falling. Above the myriad colored lights that dotted the garden the moon was rising. Along one of the hedged paths leading to the summer house a man and a woman were strolling—Mme. Natalie Popoff and M. de Jolidon.

"And so your worthy husband set you the task of finding out whom I am in love with?" De Jolidon was saying.

"Yes," the ambassador's young wife answered. "He is afraid you will marry the widow."

"Why shouldn't I?" queried De Jolidon jokingly. "You told me to."

"But—but you won't, will you?" she pleaded. "Why don't you look at me? What are you looking at?"

De Jolidon's eye had fallen on the fan where it lay forgotten on the table.

"The fan you lost and that your husband pocketed," he said, handing it to her.



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Stations	Miles	No. 12	No. 10	No. 4	No. 6	Stations	Miles	No. 1	No. 41	No. 3	No. 5
		A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.			A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Bracebridge	0	6 00	—	1 40	—	Live Deseronto	—	7 00	12 30	—	—
Alton	5	6 15	—	1 50	—	Arr Napanee	—	8 20	1 15	—	—
Quinsigamond	21	6 25	—	2 05	—	Live Napanee	—	9 7 10	1 25	12 10	4 25
Bridgewater	41	6 40	—	2 25	—	Stratford	—	15	6 15	1 40	12 25
Tweed	20	6 55	—	2 45	—	Newburgh	—	17	8 15	1 50	12 35
Tweed	—	7 00	7 20	—	Thomson's Mills	18	—	—	—	—	—
Stoco	23	7 10	7 35	—	Camden East	—	10	8 30	2 60	12 15	5 00
Lurking	27	7 25	7 55	—	Arr Yarker	—	23	8 45	2 15	1 00	8 15
Markbank	33	7 40	8 15	—	Live Yarker	—	23	9 00	2 17	1 00	8 25
Erinville	37	7 55	8 30	—	Galbraith	—	25	—	—	—	—
Tamworth	40	8 10	9 10	2 30	—	Moscow	—	27	9 20	2 33	1 15
Wilson	43	8 25	9 30	—	Mudlake Bridge	30	—	—	—	—	—
Enterprise	48	8 35	9 35	2 35	4 35	Elderton	—	31	9 35	2 50	3 30
Mudlake Bridge	48	—	—	—	Wilson	—	34	—	—	—	—
Markbank	51	8 37	9 50	3 02	4 47	Live Tamworth	—	38	10 00	3 10	1 48
Yarker	55	8 48	10 00	3 15	6 00	Erinville	—	41	10 10	3 25	—
Yarker	55	10 10	10 35	6 25	—	Markbank	—	45	10 25	3 40	—
Caudino East	59	10 25	—	6 38	—	Lurking	—	51	10 45	4 05	—
Tlomson's Mills	60	—	—	—	Stoco	—	65	11 00	4 20	—	
Newchurch	61	10 35	3 40	5 45	Arr Tweed	—	59	11 15	4 35	—	
Harrowthwaite	63	10 45	3 50	5 58	Live Tweed	—	61	11 30	4 50	—	
Napanee	62	11 00	4 03	6 03	Bridgewater	—	64	11 45	5 10	—	
Napanee	69	—	—	6 35	Queensboro	—	70	12 05	5 30	—	
Deeronto	78	—	11 25	6 55	Allans	—	73	12 20	5 45	—	
					Arr Bannockburn	—	78	12 40	6 00	—	

Ingston and Sydenham to Napanee and Deseronto.

Stations	Miles	No. 2	No. 4	No. 6	Stations	Miles	No. 1	No. 3	No. 5	
		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.			A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
Kingston	0	—	—	3 25	Live Deseronto	—	7 00	—	—	
O. T. R. Junction	9	—	—	3 35	Arr Napanee	—	7 20	—	—	
Glenora	10	—	—	3 51	Live Napanee	—	9 7 50	12 12	4 21	
Murvale	14	—	—	4 04	Stratford	—	16	8 05	12 6	4 10
Harrowthwaite	19	—	—	4 20	Newburgh	—	17	8 15	12 40	4 60
Sydenham	23	8 00	—	—	Thomson's Mills	—	18	—	—	—
Harrowthwaite	19	8 10	—	4 21	Camdun East	—	19	8 30	12 50	5 00
Frontenac	22	—	—	—	Arr Yarker	—	23	8 45	1 03	5 13
Yarker	26	8 35	—	4 50	Live Yarker	—	23	8 55	—	5 2
Frontenac	26	9 05	3 05	5 25	Frontenac	—	27	—	—	—
Caudino East	30	9 15	3 15	5 38	Arr Harrowthwaite	—	33	9 10	—	6 45
The Seven Mills	31	—	—	—	Sydenham	—	34	—	—	6 19
Newburgh	32	9 30	3 25	5 45	Harrowthwaite	—	36	9 10	—	—
Stratford	34	9 45	3 35	5 68	Murvale	—	35	9 22	—	—
Napanee	40	10 00	3 50	6 15	Arr G. T. R. Junctiou	—	39	9 32	—	—
Napanee, West End	40	—	—	6 30	G. T. R. Junctiou	47	9 40	—	—	—
Deseronto	49	—	—	6 55	Arr Kingston	—	49	10 00	—	—

LOCAL WORKING TIME TABLE.

NAPANEE TO DESERONTO and PICTON.

TRAIN	STEAMERS	TRAINS	STEAMERS	TRAINS
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave
Leave Deseronto	Leave Picton	Leave Deseronto	Arrive Deseronto	Leave Deseronto
20 a.m.	2 10 p.m.	6 00 a.m.	7 25 a.m.	9 50 a.m.
30 "	3 10 "	7 00 a.m.	8 30 a.m.	11 50 a.m.
40 "	4 00 "	—	—	1 00 p.m.
55 "	5 10 "	—	—	1 15 p.m.
65 "	6 10 "	1 40 p.m.	3 00 p.m.	3 45 p.m.
70 "	7 10 "	3 30 p.m.	5 00 p.m.	4 10 p.m.
70 "	7 30 "	5 30 p.m.	7 00 p.m.	5 45 p.m.
70 "	8 00 "	—	—	6 15 p.m.
70 "	8 30 "	7 00 a.m.	8 30 a.m.	7 20 p.m.
70 "	8 50 "	—	—	7 40 p.m.

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more, with more than a hint of the free, marvelously graceful poses of Slavonian dancers, Danilo and Sonia begin their wondrous waltz.

Throwing herself back into the strength of his circling embrace, the girl's outstretched arms swayed like wind blown lilies in rhythm with the music, her light step scarcely touching earth as the prince guided her through the mazes of the dance.

It was a strange, dexterous blend of east and west, of lissom oriental posturing and of gliding, modern waltz steps—the very poetry of motion. Nor from the first note until the last strain of music died away did either dancer's eyes leave the other's.

Love, eager and eternal, was in the gaze of each. Eye said openly to eye



"I'M AWAKE FROM MY CRAZY GOING BACK TO

"Thank goodness!" Natalie exclaimed, seizing it; then:

"Lend me a pencil."

She wrote a sentence on the fan directly beneath the three words he had scribbled the night before at the ball.

"There," she sighed, handing it to him; "keep that as a reminder."

He held the fan up to the light and read:

"I am—a dutiful wife."

"Remember that always," she adjured.

"Natalie!" he cried passionately.

"It is true—I am a dutiful wife. If I have been foolish enough to listen to your lovemaking, at least I have never encouraged it. I have always rebuffed you for conscience's sake. I am a dutiful wife."

"Why remind me of the hopelessness of my love?" murmured De Jolidon. "You may refuse to reciprocate it, but you cannot prevent my telling you"—

"But I can. After this evening we must not meet again. My husband trusts me. This must be our farewell interview. Don't try to alter my purpose. I have made up my mind. After this evening I shall never—"

"Natalie, you can't mean"—

"I do. This is the last talk we two shall ever have together."

"Then," implored De Jolidon, "if it is really to be our farewell interview, why must we talk here in the garden, where at any moment others may come to claim your attention? Grant me a final half hour of your society all to myself. Let the talk be uninterrupted. Let us sit in the little summer house over there. See—it is empty."

They entered the little inclosed arbor. It was lighted by a string of Japanese lanterns, and two rustic chairs were at opposite sides of its round center table. There was a door at each end of the tiny room—an ideal spot for a tête-à-tête chat now that the moonlight had wooed most of the guests out of doors.

The light wicker door swung shut behind the couple. Natalie quite enjoyed the prospect of listening to her admirer's melodramatic words of farewell and of posing heroically as a self-sacrificing, dutiful wife. In half an hour at most she would rejoin her hus-

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"Going to marry a Frenchman, is she?" yelled the distracted ambassador.

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band with the righteous consciousness in her heart of having dismissed forever the one man besides Popoff who had ever made love to her.

So interested was Natalie in De Jollion's parting speech that she did not hear the ambassador, just outside, declare excitedly:

"Nish, I'm sure I saw that summer house door close behind a lady's skirt! Let's see who is in there!"



To be continued.

"Yes," said the beauteous young thing, "when I asked papa if I might go mountain climbing he took my head off. But I had my own way, of course, and finally the crowd got started, and you know they made me put on a lot of wraps and things that simply suffocated me. And about halfway up I slipped and fell over a cliff and broke my neck! Indeed, yes. And when they had lifted and pulled me back on the trail I absolutely died from pain. But before long I was able to go on to the top, but by the time we were almost there I collapsed and sat down, for I could never breathe again. But they made me pull myself together and in time we got to the summit, and there it was so cold I froze to death! Oo-oo! And I was glad, I can tell you, when we came down at last, and as soon as they got me home I went to bed, dead from exhaustion!"—Independent.

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The Testimony of These Three Housewives Demonstrates Beyond All Cavil That Peruna is a Safe and Useful Remedy.

Gained Flesh on Peruna.

Mrs. Hattie Hamilton, R. F. D. No. 2, Sparta, Ky., writes:

"I have taken two bottles of Peruna and commenced on the third one. I did not really need the third one, but thought it best to take another bottle.

"I have always weighed 102 pounds, but since I began taking Peruna I weigh 120, for the first time in all my life, and I am now thirty-three years old. Your medicine has surely done me a great deal of good, and I have recommended it to several others who have begun taking it.

"My mother, who is seventy-six years old, had grown so weak she could scarcely walk. She took two bottles of Peruna and is fleshier and looking well."

Internal Catarrh.

Mrs. M. F. Jones, of Burning Springs, Ky., writes:

"No family should ever be without Peruna, for it is an unfailing cure for colds, and it is an excellent remedy to prevent and relieve croup.

"And to speak from a standpoint of experience, I can candidly say that it is the remedy for internal catarrh. I shall not hesitate to recommend it, especially to all suffering women."

"Peruna has gained full confidence and a permanent stay in our home."

Constipation, Torpid Liver.

Mrs. Anthony Rauch, 306 N. Walnut street, Bucyrus, O., writes:

"I was suffering from obstinate constipation and torpid liver, when I took your advice and purchased six bottles of Peruna and Manalin. When I had taken only one bottle I felt much better, and since I have taken two more bottles I feel entirely well, but I will continue taking the medicine for a short time to make sure of my cure.

"I think Manalin is one of the finest remedies for constipation that I ever tried. I will never be without it. It has made me so strong. I can do a day's work and never tire. I am so glad I do not get those dizzy spells any more. I haven't had one since I took your medicine.

"I cannot thank you enough for what your medicine has done for me. All sick people should give it a fair trial."

Kidneys and Bladder.

Mrs. Gus, H. Carlson, Box 201, Ortonville, Minn., writes:

"I had catarrh of the kidneys and bladder. I have taken Peruna until now, and I do not think I need to take it any longer.

"I feel well, and my tongue is clear, and I have no bitter taste in my mouth. I am very thankful for Peruna."

Find dish, valued \$1.50, for best lady in costume, to drive around ring with mask and ones without. Must be 3 contestants. Potter & Blanchard—Special prize, \$5.00 for best 1908 foal, sired by Northern Prince. G. H. Williams—\$5.00 for best foal of 1908, by Lewie O'Thrive. 1st, \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00.

To boy or girl, under 10 years, making best exhibit of fruit, correctly named, 3 of each kind, 1st, \$2.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

Special exhibit of vegetables, 2 of each kind, grain in straw, 12 heads in sheaf, and wild flowers, by boy or girl, under 15 years old, 1st, \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.50; 3rd, \$1.00.

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To teacher and pupil of a public school section making the best arranged exhibit

The only valuable testimony which any household remedy can have is the testimony of those who have used it. It is worse than useless to discuss Peruna from a theoretical standpoint. It is what Peruna will do, not what people say about it, that constitutes evidence. The housewives of the United States know what Peruna will do. They have tried it. They have realized its benefit in the family. They are the ones that are competent to speak of it. Self-appointed critics know nothing of it whatever.

Peruna Their Family Medicine.

Mrs. Anna C. Hyde, 712 E. Yamhill street, Portland, Oregon, Vice President Literary and Educational Organization of New Hampshire, writes:

"I am pleased to endorse Peruna as an all-round good family medicine, and one that is safe to give children. I give it to mine at the least suggestion of a cold, and take it myself to build up my strength and nerves.

"My sister, who is living with me, uses Peruna, too, and she is loud in its praises.

"Your medicine is certainly worthy of praise."

Backache, Headache.

Mrs. Tressie Nelson, 609 N. Fifth Ave., Nashville, Tenn., writes:

"As Peruna has done me a world of good, I feel in duty bound to tell of it, in hopes that it may meet the eye of some woman who has suffered as I did.

"For five years I really did not know what a perfectly well day was, and if I did not have headache, I had backache or a pain somewhere and really life was not worth the effort I made to keep going.

"A good friend advised me to use Peruna and I was glad to try anything, and I am very pleased to say that six bottles made a new woman of me and I have no more pains and life looks bright again."

Catarrh of Bowels.

Mrs. Maggie Durbin, 1332 North street, Little Rock, Ark., writes:

"I was troubled for five years with a chronic disease. I tried everything I heard of, but nothing did me any good. Some doctors said my trouble was catarrh of the bowels, and some said consumption of the bowels. One doctor said he could cure me. I took his medicine two months, but it did me no good.

"A friend of mine advised me to try Peruna and I did so. After I had taken two bottles I found it was helping me, so I continued its use, and it has cured me sound and well.

"I can recommend Peruna to anyone, and if anyone wants to know what Peruna did for me if they will write to me I will answer promptly."

Interviewed by the Mail and Empire, Mr. Ramsden, said it was impossible for him to discuss the matter at the present juncture. Owing to the absence of the chief parties concerned, he had not been able to prosecute the necessary enquiries.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Vigorous Youngsters.

Lady—I am looking for a governess for my children.

Manager of Intelligence Office—Did we supply you with one last week?

"Yes."

"Well, madam, according to her report you don't need a governess; you



ZY DREAM OF LOVE, AND I'M TO MAXIM'S."

FRUIT CROP REPORT.

Weather conditions have been favorable for the fruit crop during the month of August. All fruit is ripening earlier than usual.

Apples—Duchess apples have been moving freely from Southern Ontario in good condition. Gravenstalls, Covorts, and Alexanders have been shipped in small quantities and are yielding a full crop. Indications show a full crop for fall apples and below a medium crop for winter apples. Quality good.

Pears—Clapp's and Bartlett's have been exported in small quantities. The prospects in Southern Ontario are for a medium to full crop of pears. Everywhere else a light crop is expected, except in British Columbia where the prospects show a medium crop.

Peaches—Early peaches have proved a medium crop. Yellow St. Johns are now being harvested. Late peaches are reported as a light crop.

Plums are light generally except in British Columbia and small portions of Ontario.

Grapes are reported a full crop. Moore's Early and Champions are now on the market.

Tomatoes are proving a medium crop.

Insect and fungus diseases are not so prevalent as usual.

The United States crop reports show winter apples the same as last year.

Peaches a full crop and other fruits good.

Great Britain—The prospects for tree fruits offer less than a medium crop and not as good as last month.

A Woman's Era.

"If I were a man" is surely a very unnecessary cry these days. The epoch of the man is past. The twentieth century is the era of the woman.

There is with a few very slight exceptions nothing that a woman as a woman cannot do, and do every bit as well as if she were a man.—London P. T. D.

The Real Sequence.

Mrs. Premiere—You always get a new gown before you go away on a visit, don't you? Mrs. Seconde—No. I always go away on a visit after I get a new gown.

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W. A. Steacy—Special prize of \$1.00 for best exhibit of honey in comb, to become property of donor.

Mrs. O. A. Knight—\$1.00 in goods for best 2 Watermelons, to become property of donor.

J. G. Oliver—\$2.00 in goods for best 4 lbs butter, to become property of donor.

L. Saad—\$2.00 in goods for canned fruit, best display six varieties, property of donor.

J. N. Osborne—\$1.00 for best bottle of maple syrup, to become property of donor.

Meagher Bros.—\$2.50 Wakefield hat, for best 5 lbs of butter in rolls, to become property of donor.

Jas. Walters—\$3.00 fancy vest, for best single roadster horse in harness, class 1, section 14.

W. M. Cambridge—\$1.00 in goods, for best loaf home-made bread, to become the property of donor.

T. D. Scrimshaw—\$1.00 in goods, for best sofa pillow, embroidered Roman.

Hawley & Maybee—\$2.00 in goods, to boy or girl, under 10 years, making best exhibit of fruit, correctly named, three of each kind, to become property of donor.

F. Smith & Bro.—\$2.00 in goods, for best pair dressed Rouen ducks, to become property of donor.

T. B. Wallace—\$2.00 in goods, for best pair dressed ducks, for table use, to become property of donor.

W. J. Normile—\$3.00 bicycle lamp, for best bag of potatoes, to become property of donor.

J. F. Smith & Son—50 lbs. of flour, for best loaf home-made bread made from Royal Household flour, to become property of donor.

Mrs. Pratt—Set of jugs, for best dozen of buns, to become the property of donor.

Templeton & Son—1 year's subscription to the Beaver, for best pair dressed chickens, to become the property of donor.

F. Chinneck—\$3.00 in goods, for fastest walking team, at least three to start.

E. J. Pollard—1 year's subscription (2nd prize), to Napanee Express, for best pair dressed ducks.

A. E. Paul—Japanese Chocolate jug, value \$1.25, for best pan of home-made buns to be exhibited by the maker, to become the property of donor.

Graham & Vanalayne—\$2.50 in goods, for best bushel potatoes, to become property of donor.

Millard Bros.—\$2.00 in goods, for best pair dressed Pekin ducks, to become property of donor.

J. J. Haines—\$2.50 in goods, for best 5 lbs. butter in print, to become property of donor.

J. G. Fennell—\$1.00 in goods, for best pair dressed Chickens, to become property of donor.

H. W. Kelly—\$2.00 in goods, for best pair dressed White Wyandottes, to become property of donor.

A. E. Caton—\$2.00 in goods, for best pair dressed White Plymouth Rock, to become property of donor.

Newman Livingston & Co.—\$2.00 in goods for best pair dressed Brahmans, to become property of donor.

Doxsee & Co.—\$2.00 in goods, for best pair dressed Leghorn chickens, to become property of donor.

McIntosh Bros.—\$2.00 in goods, for best loaf home-made bread, to become property of dono.

Lawrason & Co.—\$2.50 fountain pen, for best pair Buff Rocks, dressed, to become property of donor.

C. Fisher—\$4.00 in goods, for best home dressed hen, to become the property of donor.

J. L. Boyes—\$2.50 hat for best single driving horse, under 15½ hands.

M. S. Madole—\$3.50 carpet sweeper, for best double carriage team, driven by lady 3 times around the track.

Napanee Canning Factory—1 case tomatoes, for best sample of 2 varieties of tomatoes, 6 to a variety. 1 case of corn, for best 12 ears sweet corn in 3 varieties, viz., Hickory, early evergreen or old colony.

Gibbard Furniture Co.—1 rocking chair, value \$3.50, to young lady, under 21 years, who will harness and attach horse to a buggy, and drive once around the track, in shortest time.

F. W. Vandusen—\$1.25 riding whip, for best 5 lbs. grapes, to become the property of donor.

Northern Crown Bank—\$10.00 for best single turnout, owned and driven by a farmer; must be a resident of Lennox County. Must be 3 contestants.

Merchants Bank—\$5.00 for best carriage team.

Dominion Bank—\$5.00—\$3.00 for best lady horse back rider; \$2.00 for second best. Must be 3 contestants.

Boyle & Son—Special prize, plated chaf-

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SPECIAL EXHIBIT OF VEGETABLES, 2 OR EACH KIND, GRAIN IN STRAW, 12 HEADS IN SHEAF, AND WILD FLOWERS, BY BOY OR GIRL, UNDER 15 YEARS OLD, 1ST, \$3.00; 2ND, \$2.50; 3RD, \$1.00.

To boy or girl under 10 years, for best exhibit of potatoes, 3 of each kind, correctly named, 1st, \$2.00; 2d, \$1.50; 3d, \$1.00.

To teacher and pupil of a public school section making the best arranged exhibit of roots, fruit, vegetables, and grain in straw, not more than three each of roots, fruit and vegetables, 1st, \$6.00; 2d, \$4.00; 3d, \$3.00.

AN ODD TANGLE.

One of the knottest problems which has ever come before the Indian department of Canada for solution has arisen over the settlement of the estate of the late Dr. Oronhyatekha. The problem relates to that portion of his estate which lies on the Mohawk Reserve, in the Township of Tyendinaga, near Deseronto. The reserve in question consists of about 17,000 acres of land, and the population located there, according to the last report of the department, is 1,327. Residence on the reserve is not confined strictly to Indians, as some sixty odd white people have leases on the Mohawk lands, and most of these lessees reside on the reserve. None of the members of the band have absolute title to any portion of the land but rights have been acquired, and holdings secured, which have continued in the possession of different Indian families for many years.

Dr. Oronhyatekha, who died in Savannah, Ga., on March 3rd, 1907, left a beautiful property known as "The Pines." His interest in this property was absolute, so far as the buildings were concerned, but the band, as a whole, still retain part interest in the land itself, on which the dwelling stands. Dr. Oronhyatekha, at the time of his death, was survived by one son, Dr. Acland Oronhyatekha, and one daughter, Mrs. Johnston. The daughter having married a white man, Percy J. Johnston, is now, in the eyes of the law, a white woman.

As is well known, the son of the late supreme chief, of the I.O.F., Dr. Acland Oronhyatekha, died suddenly, last year, not long after the demise of his illustrious father. Complications have arisen in connection with the settlement of the estate of "The Pines" consequent upon the fact that two widows of Dr. Acland Oronhyatekha have put in claims for an interest therein. It seems that the first Mrs. Acland Oronhyatekha, whom he married in England more than a decade ago, some years ago secured a divorce in the United States from her husband. Then the young doctor contracted a second marriage.

One would naturally think that the first Mrs. Acland Oronhyatekha, by reason of the divorce, would have contracted herself out of any interest in the estate of her former husband, but under the Indian act, when a white woman marries an Indian she becomes an Indian woman in the eyes of the law, and is not affected by the ordinary code. It is on this ground that widow No. 1 claims an interest in the belongings of her former husband.

The contention is opposed by the legal representatives of widow No. 2, who hold that she alone is entitled to her late husband's interest in "The Pines" property. The problem is an interesting one, involving as it does questions of Indian title, custom and tradition, and it is taxing the legal minds of the department to the fullest extent.

All the papers in the case have been referred to ex-Ald. J. C. Ramsden, of Toronto, one of the Indian inspectors, for a full report. It is likely that he will have to hold a special court at Deseronto for the purpose of taking evidence of the chiefs of the band.

Lady—I am looking for a governess for my children.

Manager of Intelligence Office—Did we supply you with one last week?

"Yes."

"Well, madam, according to her report you don't need a governess; you need a lion tamer."

His Reasoning.

De Tough—I want to return this dog to the gent what owns him. I seen his ad. in the paper. The Lady—How did you guess it was a "gent" that put the ad. in? De Tough—"Cause it said, "No questions asked."—London Pick-Me-Up.

The Trouble.

Grouch—The Rev. Mr. Smiley's scheme to pass around the cigars and let the men smoke during services has proved a failure. Blink—What was the trouble? Grouch—His wife bought the cigars.

THE COME AND SEE SIGN



This sign is permanently attached to the front of the main building of the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company, Lynn, Mass.

What Does This Sign Mean?

It means that public inspection of the Laboratory and methods of doing business is honestly desired. It means that there is nothing about the business which is not "open and above-board."

It means that a permanent invitation is extended to anyone to come and verify any and all statements made in the advertisements of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Is it a purely vegetable compound made from roots and herbs—with out drugs?

Come and See.

Do the women of America continually use as much of it as we are told?

Come and See.

Was there ever such a person as Lydia E. Pinkham, and is there any Mrs. Pinkham now to whom sick women are asked to write?

Come and See.

Is the vast private correspondence with sick women conducted by women only, and are the letters kept strictly confidential?

Come and See.

Have they really got letters from over one million, one hundred thousand women correspondents?

Come and See.

Have they proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured thousands of these women?

Come and See.

This advertisement is only for doubters. The great army of women who know from their own personal experience that no medicine in the world equals Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female ills will still go on using and being benefited by it; but the poor doubting, suffering woman must, for her own sake, be taught confidence, for she also might just as well regain her health.

RENOVATING the CORSET



Removing Garters and Trimmings

To Keep the Hands in Good Condition

WHEN doing housework or gardening old gloves should be worn. They will protect the hands from the effects of injurious substances, and keep them clean.

A little almond meal may be put into the warm water in which the hands are washed, and if they are much soiled a little borax or ammonia may be added.

The roughest hands will be softened if care is given them before retiring at night. It scarcely requires five minutes' attention to efface the traces which the rudest labor may have left upon them, and the necessary articles are not expensive.

Stains on the hands may be removed by lemon, borax or ammonia, according to their nature.

Before peeling Irish potatoes the hands should be well dried, and should not be washed immediately after. By this slight precaution they will not be stained with the juice of the tuber.

To cleanse the hands after very rough work, use a good emollient or cream. Rub the hands with a small quantity of the cream, which will penetrate well into the pores of the skin. Then wash the hands in hot water and soap. This treatment makes them very soft.

Very often persons are troubled with moist hands; they would be greatly benefited if they would wash them in water in which a little powdered alum has been dissolved. Alcohol, too, will



Scrub the Rolled Corset.

Care of the Eyes

NEVER rub the eyes, for this practice causes inflammation of the lids, and however beautiful

EVERY woman feels some affection for an old and tried corset, and she looks forward with regret to the time when it must be cast away to be replaced by a new and stiff one. Of course, a soiled corset may be sent to the cleaner to be either washed or cleaned, but one must not expect a corset ever to be quite the same after the process.

The cleaning being expensive and success not guaranteed, the woman may be encouraged to launder and renovate her own corset, and the results will, perhaps, be quite as satisfactory. She is not likely to get good results with batiste or net corsets. Coutil is the only material that will launder well and that will retain its strength and shape.

The careful woman when buying a corset selects it with an eye to washing. The "bones" must be bound in kid or else they must be whalebone. Even

the steels may be procured so treated that they will not rust.

Before washing always remove all trimmings and fixings; the lace around the top, the garters and the laces come under this heading. Two ways there are to wash corsets: with the bones in and with the bones removed. If the bones are removed they should be so marked that each one may be returned to its proper place. When the bones are out the corset may be laid flat upon the table and scrubbed with good white soap and water. If the bones are not removed the corset should be rolled on the arm so it will maintain its shape, and then scrubbed. The brush should be neither too stiff nor too soft; any ordinary nail brush will do. The soap should never be applied directly to the material. Soapsuds with warm—not hot—water make the best cleanser for corsets.

Be sure to see that all the traces of soap are washed away before the corset is rinsed in its last water, which should be clear and cold.

The corset should be dried on a line. Hang each half by the back end and let it remain in the air till it is thoroughly dry. Put no bluing in the water at any time, and, of course, no starch.

After the corset is washed its appearance is much improved if it be trimmed with fresh new lace and ribbon and laced with new strings. Either Hamburg or St. Gall insertion makes a charming finish for the top of any corset, particularly if combined with a little piping for ribbon. The embroidery tears less easily than lace and looks just as pretty.

After the corset is dry it may be mended wherever necessary with tape or bits of coutil. Should the seams be anywhere stretched or strained, it is a good plan to compare the old corset with a new one, and sew the strained parts in to as nearly conform with the new corset as possible.

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FOR SUNBURN

When the hands have been burned by the sun, a good way to restore them to their delicate color is to apply lemon juice and glycerine, mixed, or a paste made of cornstarch and glycerine. Butter milk also is excellent for removing tan and freckles.

Very often the appearance of one's hands is marred by warts. A very good way to remove these blemishes is to rub them two or three times daily with an Irish potato. Cut off the end of the potato and rub the wart with the pared surface. After each operation remove a slice of the potato.

The application of lemon juice will sometimes cause warts to disappear. Touch them several times during the day with a camel's-hair brush soaked in the juice.

To be Attractive

If YOU are dissatisfied with your lot because you are not as beautiful as your sister you are making a big mistake, for by taking pains with your toilet you can make yourself just as attractive as you could wish to be.

See that your hands are perfectly manicured and your feet well dressed.

Your hair should be well brushed; and if the prevailing style of hairdressing is becoming, adopt it. If, however, it does not suit your features, arrange your hair in such a way that it will bring out your good points.

Your teeth should be attended to regularly and kept in good condition.

Always endeavor to be neat and tidy. Neatness should be a perfect characteristic, if available for the poorest woman it is very low.

Will Vaseline the Skin

DO YOU know of the many, *not* all, uses of Vaseline? For instance, if you have a sore with a bath before you go to bed, rub the sun and the heat of the room. This will keep the sore from getting away.

Scrub the Rolled Corset.

Care of the Eyes

NEVER rub the eyes, for this practice causes inflammation of the lids, and however beautiful the expression, if the eyes are red or without lashes they lose their charm.

When a foreign substance gets into the eye do not irritate it by trying to force it out. Keep the eye closed for a few moments, or until the object is removed by the tears which will flow. If, however, it is impossible to remove the substance yourself, have some one (who will perform the operation carefully) remove it for you.

If the wind has reddened the eyelids, wash them in slightly salted warm water (using common salt).

However strong the eyes may be, give them a little rest after a few hours' continuous use. Never force them to gaze at minute objects when they are weak; neither write, read nor sew when the light is dim. During all continuous work close the eyes from time to time at intervals.

Great care should be taken that the right should fall from the side, not fall in the face. When working, it should be allowed to fall upon the left side.

It is bad to read on a railway train, in a carriage, while walking, while lying down or while physically tired.

Beds should not be so placed that the eyes receive the full rays of sunlight on awakening. The right should fall from the side.

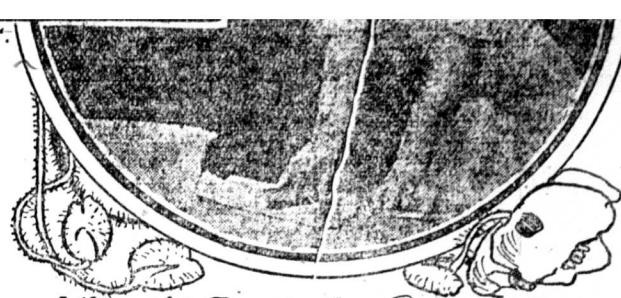
A very good wash that will strengthen the sight and restore its powers is made of one pint of soft water, a pinch of common salt, a spoonful of brandy.

Good Form of Exercise

ROWING strengthens and develops the back and arms and broadens the chest, doing it in such a way that the hollows which are too often found in the chest are filled out and the back is rounded.

Unless the sport is indulged in to excess it will exercise, without straining, the whole body.

For children and women who are a little inclined to stoop, rowing is a splendid exercise, in that it forces the taking of deep breaths.



When the Bones Are Exposed.

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Vaseline to increase the Growth.



Apply Lotion

CONSUELO, duchess of Marlborough, is said to have perfect eyebrows. In shape, size and color they are exactly right. But this was not always the case—the eyebrows of the Little American duchess were not originally any different from the most ordinary, average brows. It was by care, thought and perseverance that they became the ideal of what eyebrows should be.

To train the eyebrows as they should

THE FRUITS OF FRIENDSHIP

FRIENDSHIP of Others Wins and Makes Friends.

What other than the heart and mind can make a man's better part when he is not in his own home from home?

When we consider every one of the Good Samaritan's acts, the sister who was a good agent for charity in the cause of God, and especially when you read the usual interpretation of her in print as showing that Martha was neglecting her soul while Mary was caring for her, you cannot but wonder that the apparent animosity of the one should be passed over the kindly activity of the other.

But the Good Teacher was not condemning the hospitality of Martha; he was commending the larger, deeper, higher purity of Mary. To him, as well, there is but one thing that is absolutely necessary. That is not food and dainties; it is not furniture and luxuries—it is the open heart of friendship. There was greater refreshment in the friendship of the one who sat at his feet than in all the food that the tables might bear.

Do you not all need often to hear his saying—we who are careful and

we have had or eaten in the homes we have visited; but we never lose what our friends have given us of themselves.

The house that has the great treasure may be one where there is no plate to be stolen, but where hearts are rich through habits of soul communion. The weary man lifts himself with renewed vigor as he looks along the road to the home where love waits, where eyes will look deep into his; the woman knows not the toil and drudgery of the day's work for the thought of the fellowship with those she loves.

Many are making Martha's mistake, missing the riches of friendships in the machinery and ministrations of hospitality; we are so anxious to entertain our friends that we drive them away; we are so anxious to feed them that we starve their hearts. Whatever else people want this they want most of all and first of all,

JUST TO KNOW PEOPLE,
just to have the open way into our real lives.

No matter how much work a man may do he will do nothing worthy if he is too busy to make friends. The value of our investment in the world depends largely on the manner in which our own self is drawn out and enriched through the touch of other lives. No man can be great by himself alone; all greatness is a gathering in to ourselves of other beings.

He who chooses to find friends has that better part. The snare of our modern living is that we are so busy here and there doing many things, most of them perhaps good things in themselves but bad when they stand before the better and higher things; we are so full of business that we miss life's real blessings.

He who chooses friendship chooses that which he can never lose. No man can take from you the memory of your friend; none can rob you of the enriching of mind, the enlarging of heart and sympathy that came as you lay with him by the camp fire under the far off stars or sat by the hearthside in the home. Friends become inseparable soul possessions.

So if you would show true hospitality to any, let your first concern be that his heart is fed. He who comes to your home wants you more than he wants your bread and butter, your dainties and guest delicacies. There is a feast wherever friendship freely flows; there is emptiness and hunger, no matter how the board may be laden, where hearts are closed to one another.

HENRY F. COPE.

NATURAL QUERY.

Mrs. Biggs—"I'm going to get a gown to match my complexion."

Mrs. Diggs—"But aren't those hand-painted gowns awfully expensive?"

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

INTERNATIONAL LESSON,
SEPT. 13.

Lesson XI. David Made King
Over Judah and Israel.
Golden Text, 2 Sam. 5. 10.

Verse 1. After this—That is, after the death of Saul and his sons. This removed the danger to David's person and also left vacant the throne. There was no reason for remaining longer in exile.

David inquired of Jehovah—By means of the mysterious "Ephod," which Abiathar the priest had brought with him when he joined David's band in the wilderness (1 Sam. 23. 6). The Ephod may have been similar to the Urim and Thummim, or sacred lot which was cast for an expression of the divine will. David's dependence upon Jehovah is seen in his waiting for his approval before he takes the first step toward the kingship.

Shall I go up?—From the hill country, directly south of Judah, where he had been living.

Hebron—A place "twenty-two miles south of Jerusalem and twenty miles north of Beersheba," which was admirably suited to be the capital of Judah. It was commandingly situated on the highest level of the Judean ridge, and from the earliest times had been a center of historic and religious interest. The patriarchs from Abram on lived and some of them died there, before Israel entered the land the Canaanites revered it as a shrine, it became one of the cities of refuge, and being on one of the trunk roads of Palestine it was always a thriving market-city. From now on it figures largely in the fortunes of the Hebrew kingdom. As verse 3 shows, Hebron was a district as well as a city. The word "city" usually meant the town with its cutlyng country.

2. His two wives—The two whom he took to himself during his years of exile. Before this he had married Michal, Saul's daughter, but had been deprived of her by the king's command. She is returned to him later (2 Sam. 3. 13). For a more complete list of the wives David had at Hebron see 2 Sam. 3. 2-5. Some of these represented political alliances. These polygamous tendencies later caused David and his sons much trouble and suffering.

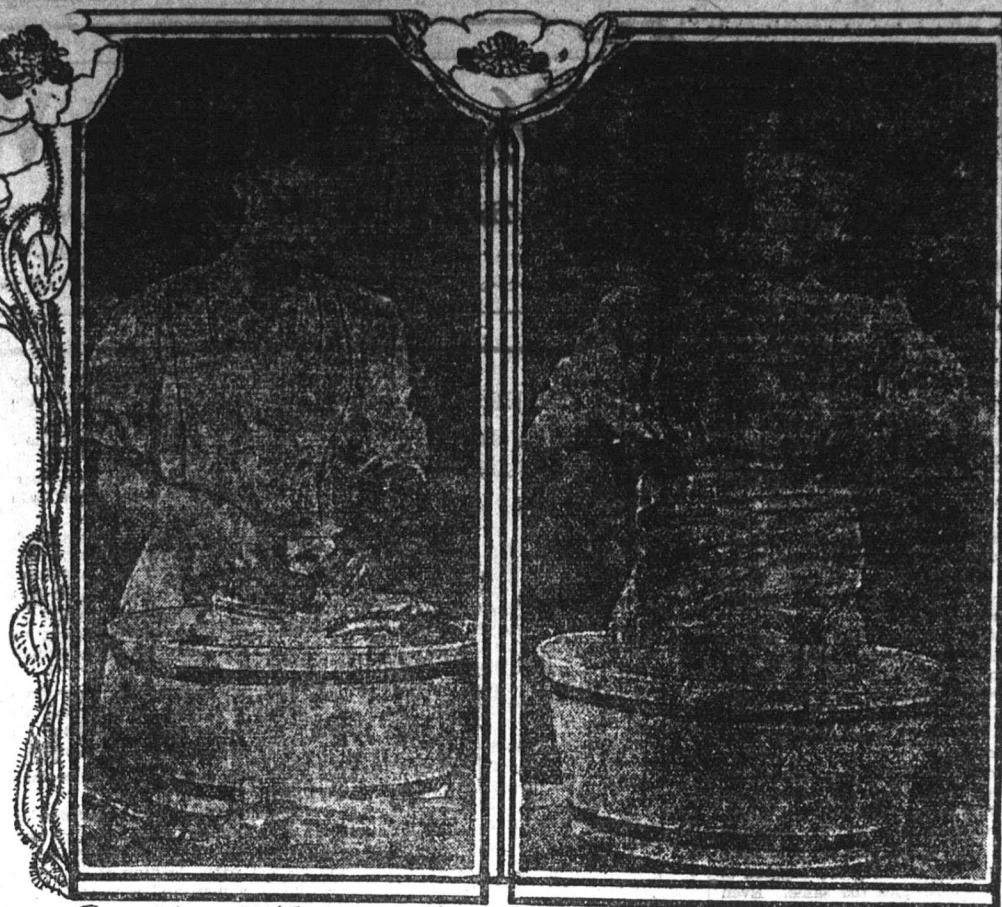
Jezreelitess . . . Carmelite—Not from the famous valley of Jezreel and Mount Carmel to the north, but from two small towns, Jezreel and Carmel in the southern country over which David had been ranging.

Abigail—The story is exquisitely told in 1 Sam. 25.

3. Every man with his household—David avoided any appearance of a warlike purpose. He and his men went up as peaceable colonists with their families.

4. They anointed David king—Samuel's private anointing at an earlier time did not interfere with this formal public ceremony; it was probably not known by any but David himself and members of his own family.

House of Judah—David's own "house" or tribe. Saul came from the rival tribe of Benjamin adjoining on the north.



Removing All Traces of Soap. Rinsing in Clear Water

Advice to Correspondents by Mrs. Symes

To Darken Eyebrows

Some time ago I noticed a recipe for darkening the eyebrows, but I have forgotten it. Will you publish it again?

M. H.

Certainly. I am always glad to publish anything that will be of help. I think this is the one you mean: Gum arabic, one dram; India ink, one-half dram; rosewater, four ounces. Powder the ink and gum and triturate small quantities of the powder with the rosewater until you get a uniform black liquid in a powder, and then add the remainder.

To Reduce the Weight

What shall I do? I certainly was never meant to wear such a gown, for I am only five feet four inches tall and weigh 145 pounds. Can you tell me how to reduce my weight? I want one of the new dresses so much.

T. C.

It is surely pathetic about your weight, but I feel sure that if you follow my advice you will much improve your figure.

Avoid all starchy and sweetened food, all cereals, vegetables containing sugar or starch, such as peas, beans, corn, potatoes, etc. Have your bread toasted; sprinkle it with salt instead of using butter. Milk, I regret to say, if it be pure and good, is fattening. Skimmed milk may be drunk. Hot water is an excellent substitute for other liquids. Add a little of the juice of limes or lemons to it, if you choose. Limit your sleeping hours to seven, at the outside. No naps. You must take exercise.

MAY TAKE.

Fish—Nearly all fresh fish, boiled. Meats—Lean beef, mutton or lamb, chicken, game (sparingly).

Eggs—Boiled or poached on toast.

Chaplain—"This is your third term in this prison. Are you not ashamed to have your friends see you here?" Abashed Convict—"Indeed I am. The prison is disengag-

: Farinaceous—Stale bread, dry toast or crusts (sparingly).

Vegetables—Spinach, lettuce, celery, cresses, asparagus, cauliflower, onions, white cabbage, tomatoes, radishes, olives.

Desserts—Ripe fruits only—acid varieties preferable.

Drinks—One cup of tea or coffee, without milk, cream or sugar, or one glass of pure water, sipped at end of the meal.

MUST NOT TAKE.

Soups, salmon, bluefish, eels, salt fish, pork, veal, sausage, made dishes, fats, potatoes, macaroni, oatmeal, hominy, spices, rice, beets, carrots, turnips, parsnips, puddings, pies, pastry, cakes, sugars, sweets, milk, cream, malt or spirituous liquors, beers, sweet wines, champagne.

Several Questions Asked

Being an earnest reader of the paper and your valuable page, I wish to know what aid for falling hair. Also I would like to know what would make a person grow. Do you think electricity is a good aid?

J. G. S.

The following is a good recipe for falling hair: Tincture of nux vomica, one ounce; spirits of rosemary, two ounces; alcohol, two ounces. Apply several times a week to the roots of the hair.

There are many exercises to make a person tall—all stretching exercises, for instance, are beneficial. Learn to stand straight, with head erect, and take exercises regularly, and I think you will find that you will be quite satisfied with the result. Electricity is not necessary to increase the growth. Good carriage is most of the battle.

To Round Out the Face

Will you kindly give me a recipe for a good skin food? I have lost twenty-five pounds, and it makes my face soft, and I am afraid it is causing it to drop. I

following is a good skin food:

Oil of sweet almonds, four ounces; white wax, six drams; spermaceti, six drams; borax, two drams; glycerine, one and one-half ounces; orange-flower water, two ounces; oil of neroli, fifteen drops; oil of bigarade (orange skin), fifteen drops; oil of petit grain, fifteen drops.

Melt the first three ingredients, add the glycerine to the orange-flower water and dissolve the borax in the mixture; then pour it slowly into the blended fats, stirring continuously.

Tattoo Marks

Kindly tell me how to remove tattoo marks from the arms.

G. M. R.

I am very much afraid that it is impossible to remove real tattoo marks. If they have been done by a professional they are indelibly stamped on the skin. It might be a satisfaction to consult a physician, but I advise you to avoid experimental treatment.

Cure for Pimples

Will you please give me your advice on how to remove a number of pimples from my chin? They seem to be very persistent.

J. H. S.

You can never remove pimples unless you seek the cause for them and work with that knowledge. Be careful of your diet for a while—do not eat rich and indigestible things. A cream made according to the following formula and care of the diet will soon bring you relief: Extract of violet, ten drops; sweet almond oil, one and one-quarter drams; sulphur precipitate, seventy-five grains; lanolin, seventy-five grains; oxide of zinc, two scruples.

Shiny Nose

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I would like a mild astringent to draw up the skin where it has been stretched for a full face.

In your case I think an astringent would be quite useless. What you need to bring back the former contour of your face is healthful living, good food and plenty of fresh air. The

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M. R. H.

Below you will find a formula for a too oily skin, and I am sure it will help you:

Boracic acid, one dram; rosewater, four ounces. Mix. Apply the lotion to your refractory nose as often as necessary.

the EYEBROWS



Shaping the Eyebrow

will be possible to keep them smooth and pretty.

Of course, every woman, in the process of her toilet, always brushes her eyebrows so that each hair lies smoothly in place.

If the line of the eyebrows is not as

thick as it might be, if they look unneat, thin and straggly, the beauty of the face is spoiled. A lotion may be applied to increase the growth of the brows. The lotion for the purpose is made of two and one-half ounces of cologne, one and one-half ounces of glycerine, and two ounces of fluid extract of jaborandi. These ingredients should be mixed thoroughly and applied every night to the eyebrows with a paint brush of soft camel's hair. It will not be necessary to rub the lotion well into the skin, for the brows are never so thick that the lotion will not be able to reach the roots. It is not like applying a tonic to the hair, where great care must be taken to rub it into the scalp.

TO IMPROVE EYELASHES

Another excellent remedy for thin eyebrows is vaseline. This will also increase and promote the growth of the eyelashes, which are so beautiful when they are long and curly. The vaseline may be put on every night and allowed to remain on the brows, and lashes, too, until morning. Should the vaseline in any way get into the eyes it will not injure them; in fact, it seems to have a rather strengthening effect and serves to make them more brilliant.

It is wonderful how a woman may improve her appearance by care. It is just these little details that go to make up the perfect whole.

A lotion on the eyebrows or a little vaseline at night, some care when the face is being dried after washing, and she may soon acquire one of the most beautiful features of a beautiful face.

with Brush.

go it is necessary to run the fingers over them and rather pinch them into shape after the face is dried. If this is done every time the face is washed a change will soon be noticed and it

ISLAND OF MILLION HUES

A TWO DAYS' GLIMPSE OF BEAUTIFUL JAMAICA.

A Land of Woods and Springs Gives the Visitor Many Pleasant Memories.

As the Royal Mail Steam Packet steamer approaches Jamaica there appears first a vast pile of rounded snow clouds, which tumble apart and reveal the purple peaks of the Blue Mountains. The cool, healthful trade-wind blows in from the sea and makes the heat more endurable than that of the American summer, while in winter it tastes and smells of a spring noon.

The ship raises both clouds and peaks, the foothills that seem to tumble over one another to climb the highest, and as the Indian summer haze clears the island is revealed in a million hues. Poised on the ridges, plantation houses, with their white walls and red roofs stand out against the sombre bluish green of ravines, and like winding silver threads waterfalls and streams sparkle in the sunshine as they tumble downward toward the sea. Well has the island retained a name close to the original—Zay-

maca, isle of "woods and springs."

FOREST CLAD MOUNTAINS.

As the ship draws nearer the sea rollers break glistening and rumbling beneath cocoa palms that arch over the foam, bowing in the teeth of the trades. Blue smoke curls up from the sugar estates and negro clearings thousands of feet high. The eye delights in little white villages under bamboos and palms, half hidden in sheltered bays and coverts and neatly laid out banana plantations and orange groves, while towering over all are the forest-clad mountains, capped with cloudy turbans.

Port Royal is reached, and the Royal Mail steamer fires a gun to announce the fact. The coming of the steamer is an event that is celebrated by hundreds at the wharf. To lie in the harbor of Port Royal for even a day is worth a lifetime in a romantic library. The scene is essentially British, yet quaintly foreign.

Kingston, too, in its present condition is a sight worth seeing, for out of chaos a new city is emerging. Hotels are reopening, and the temporary shops are busy again with sharks' teeth, turtle shells and other island curios.

Even in two days one may catch a clear

GLIMPSE OF JAMAICA.

Trains come and go two or three

times a day between the city and the mountains. One may whiz up to Papine in an electric car and then drive to Gordon Town, in the hills, returning comfortably in the morning. One may also travel to Ewarton by train, passing through the great banana fields to the foot of the crowning Mount Diablo.

Carriages take the visitor up the zigzag face of the mountain, whence one may look down on thriving ranches, plantations and native homesteads half buried in coffee, cassava, bananas, scarlet poinsettias and purple bongainvillas. Then down the other side of Mount Diablo, among the finest scenery in the island, into the automobile roads of St. Ann and the cool air of Moneague—a cool night and a cool drive back to the boat, arriving on board in time for luncheon. Even in this brief visit one gets a snapshot of Jamaica to keep in mind and frame as a pleasant memory.

An English tourist was doing the Scottish Highlands, and, foregathered with the village policeman in one out-of-the-way place, said:—"I suppose you have some pretty long tramps in this district, my man?" "Well, I'm thinking," replied the keeper of the peace, as he surveyed the lengthy stranger, "you are the longest I've seen yet."

this formal public ceremony; it was probably not known by any but David himself and members of his own family.

House of Judah—David's own "house" or tribe. Saul came from the rival tribe of Benjamin adjoining on the north.

The men of Jabesh-gilead—for an account of this exploit see last week's lesson (1 Sam. 31. 10-13).

5. David sent messengers—A sincere expression of appreciation on the part of David and also a most sagacious, political act of conciliation.

Kindness—Respect.

6. I also will require you—A quiet assumption that his rule extends far enough to include their city. In reality they are in the very heart of Ish-bosheth's rival kingdom with its capital the nearby town of Manhanaim (2 Sam. 2. 8).

7. Let your hands be strong and be ye valiant—This is the invoking of a blessing suitable to warlike times. Strength and valor were a most desired gift from Jehovah. The words of David imply, too, that he hopes for their support.

1. Then—After seven and a half years of successful rule at Hebron.

Came—David did not force his authority on the other tribes but waited till they sought him.

All the tribes of Israel—By their representatives the elders (verse 3).

Thy bone and thy flesh—A courteous introduction to their address. Really true, too; the men of Israel later refer to David's tribe as "our brethren the men of Judah" (2 Sam. 19. 41).

2. It was thou—A compliment to their new chieftain which served a double purpose. It settled any misgivings as to their loyalty to Saul; even when he was their king they had served under David as his general.

Leddest out and broughtest in—A term for military leadership.

Shepherd of my people—This is the first use of "shepherd" in a figurative sense in the Bible. It became very common with the later prophets. There may be a delicate allusion to David's shepherd duties as a lad.

3. Made a covenant—with mutual duties and rights. Called "the manner of the kingdom" (1 Sam. 10. 25). This, like David's other acts, was done before Jehovah, with him as witness.

4, 5. A brief note summarizing all of David's public life. It anticipates his capture of Jerusalem, establishment of the United Kingdom with its capital there, and the years of rule which are narrated in the chapters following.

HIS ALTERNATIVE.

It is best to keep one's personal dignity at whatever cost. A befitting sense of what is due one never comes amiss, even within prison precincts. This truth was appreciated by an Irishman whose expression of it is quoted by Michael MacDonagh, in "Irish Life and Character." The prisoner, refractory and obstinate, flatly refused to work in the treadmill.

The man was brought before the governor of the prison for disobedience. The governor asked him what reason he could give for not following out his orders.

"Me go on the treadmill!" exclaimed the prisoner, drawing himself up to his full height of offended dignity. "Never, sir! I'd rather leave the jail first!"

WONDERS OF THE BODY

THE MOST WONDERFUL MACHINE IN THE WORLD.

The Heart Pumps Over Six Hundred Thousand Gallons of Blood, a Year.

In the ancient world there were seven wonders. In the modern world we have in reality only one, and that is the human body, writes Dr. W. R. C. Latson in *The New York Tribune*. Regarded from a purely mechanical viewpoint, the human body is a superbly efficient instrument, infinitely complex, exquisitely delicate, and yet powerful, enduring, and adaptable beyond belief. The human body is a microcosm of the universe, a miniature world in itself. It embodies within its composition, its structure, its operations, everything that is to be found anywhere in the world outside of itself.

For instance, the body contains all of the important chemical elements. Nearly three-quarters of its weight is made up of oxygen, that most important and universal element. Then there are the other gases, nitrogen, hydrogen, chlorine and fluorine. In addition to these gases we find carbon, calcium, phosphorus, sodium, sulphur, potassium, magnesium, iron, copper, lead, and silicon, lithium, mercury, arsenic and other solids. The first five named, the gases, are sufficient in quantity to fill a tank of about four thousand cubic feet capacity—say of a size twenty feet long, ten feet high and twenty feet wide. The solids in the body, such as the carbon, lime (calcium), silicon, sodium, potassium, magnesium, are all in the ground on which you walk.

SOME OF THE BODY'S CONTENTS.

The body contains enough fat to make about one hundred candles, enough soap to keep its own surface clean for a month, enough sugar to do for a family meal, and enough salt to supply the family for a month. It contains only a little iron, just enough to make a couple of small nails; but it has enough hydrogen gas to fill a balloon that would actually lift the owner into the clouds. The human body also contains enough carbon to make about three thousand lead pencils, or in the form of a load of coal enough to keep a blazing fire going for an hour or two. That, as a matter of fact, is just what the body does with its carbon—uses it for fuel. And the energy derived from the carbon or coal does for the human body just what it does for the steam engine—it keeps the body warm and gives it energy to move.

A full grown man should weigh one hundred and fifty pounds, which should be divided as follows: muscles and their appendages, eighty-one pounds; bones, twenty-two pounds; fat, eighteen pounds; skin, seven pounds; brain, three pounds; internal organs, twelve pounds; blood, seven pounds. The body contains about seven-eighths water; and so the man would contain about seventeen gallons, or more than half a barrel of it.

NORMAL FOOD CONSUMPTION.

As to food, he would consume every day five thousand grains of

at about one hundred and thirty-six to the minute, and the blood stream makes its entire figure-eight circuit in about twelve seconds. At three years old the heart rate is one hundred and eight, and the blood stream makes its journey in about fifteen seconds; at five the pulse is eighty-eight, and the blood circuit requires eighteen seconds

THE RIVER OF LIFE.

The blood is the great river of life, a stupendous waterway, the most populous that can be imagined, teeming with traffic. Laborers, soldiers, carriers, countless millions of millions of busy workers, crowd it coming and going, each with his special duty to attend to. In a cubic inch of blood there are twelve thousand millions of one class of these tiny laborers. There are nearly two gallons of blood in the human body, and a gallon contains two hundred and thirty-one cubic inches. So, by multiplying twelve thousand millions by two hundred and thirty-one, we shall get approximately the number of the erythrocytes, the red oxygen-carbon-dioxide carriers, in the blood. If these little carriers could be spread in a layer, they would cover a surface of twenty-eight thousand square feet.

The red carriers are not the only workers embarked in the great intersomatic waterway, the blood stream. There are others less numerous, more intelligent, more adaptable, more versatile. Their duties are various and important; in fact, they are the real feeders, the faithful guardians, and the efficient repairers of the body.

WHAT THE LUNGS DO.

Nothing is more interesting than the body's methods of economy. For instance, in its work of taking in oxygen and throwing off carbon dioxide, it needs space, surface. And so there has been evolved a method by which in the lungs the inhaled air reaches a surface of sixteen hundred square feet. The peculiar little openings, or vesicles, by which this economy of space is gained are six hundred millions in number. There passes into and out of the lungs in one day no less than four hundred cubic feet of air. Each outgoing breath contains two cubic inches of carbon dioxide, and contaminates five thousand cubic inches, about half a barrel of air. The lungs exhale every day an amount of carbon that if caught and solidified would about equal a lump of coal weighing half a pound.

The air breathed out is moving at a speed of forty-three inches a second, and is inhaled at a speed of fifty-two inches a second. In a sudden intake of breath, as in a sob or gasp of surprise, the speed of inhalation may be much greater—ten or even twenty feet a second.

The external surface of the body has an area of about twenty square feet and contains seven million minute openings, perspiratory glands, out through which the blood pushes certain of its poisonous ingredients.

The skin has a respiratory as well as a perspiratory function. Through a healthy skin we take in about one-sixth as much oxygen as through the lungs.

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THE FUTURE BATTLESHIP

BRITAIN'S DREADNOUGHTS AND COMING DESIGNS.

TWO MONSTER SHIPS BEGUN THIS YEAR, ONE OF 19,200 TONS WITH TURBINE ENGINES.

The coming of the Dreadnoughts, as all the world knows, has meant a complete revolution in naval construction. In the opinion of most naval officers the future is to the Power which possesses most of these ships and can use them well, writes H. W. Wilson in the London Daily Mail.

It will be of interest, then, in view of the pause which has been made during the present year in shipbuilding, to examine how the British navy stands in this latest type of ship and what are the designs likely to be adopted in the near future. The Admiralty is committed to the large battleship and it will scarcely go back. Nor would it be wise to do so in view of the fact that almost all foreign Powers are faithfully copying British designs.

For the present year two monster ships—a battleship and a cruiser—have been voted. The battleship, contrary to the reports circulated, will be similar in all important respects to the St. Vincents. That is to say, she will displace 19,200 tons or thereabouts, will carry ten or twelve 12-inch guns, and will be propelled by turbine engines actuated by steam. Thus she will make up the group of four St. Vincents, and when she is completed for sea the British navy will possess two groups, each four strong, of all big gun battleships. The other vessel will resemble the Invincibles, with improvements, and will complete the group of four 25-knot cruiser battleships.

SO MUCH FOR THE PRESENT.

It will be seen that there is nothing sensational in the design of the ships for this year which are meant to fill gaps in the existing organization. But next year it is possible that there may be new and startling departures. From hints which Ministers and others have dropped, the Admiralty will be compelled to ask for no fewer than five monster battleships. More may be needed, but this must necessarily depend on the progress which foreign ships make in the next few months.

Germany, it must be remembered, has to-day building or sanctioned seven battleships of Dreadnought type (against the British eight) and two, or possibly three, cruisers of the Invincible type (against the British four). And under her fixed programme she will lay down three more monster battleships and one more monster cruiser next year, the battleships, it is believed, displacing 21,000 tons or even more. A British programme of five battleships and one cruiser would bring the British total of Dreadnoughts up to only eighteen, as against the German total of thirteen or fourteen. The British margin of four or five ships, which it would give, would be far less than what the strict two Power standard demands.

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on either broadside. She will resemble the new Brazilian ships in carrying twenty 4.7 inch or 6 inch guns for defence against torpedo attack, and will thus be exempt from the most serious failing of the original Dreadnought—the entire absence of a medium battery.

THE NEW WOMAN IN TURKEY.

WOMEN THERE ASK ABOLITION OF HAREM AND THE VELL.

In the recent rejoicings at the proclamation of a constitution in Turkey many Turkish women took part, and for the first time in history appeared in public without their veils.

They have appealed to the Young Turk party to abolish the harem system, and with it the compulsory veiling of women. The word harem, says the Queen, is Arabic for anything forbidden or not to be touched and as against the rules of the Koran. Games of chance, witchcraft and portrait making are "harem."

In practice the word is used by Europeans to designate that portion of a polygamist's house which is devoted to the exclusive occupancy of his wives and their attendants. Thence it comes to refer to the female portion of his household, while the word may be used by Westerners to designate the system of plurality of wives.

In Turkey the system has been maintained not only as part of the Moslem religion but as an integral part of Mohammedan polity, of which the Sultan is the chief spiritual head, to whom all orthodox Mussulmans look up and to whom, as the appointer of Sheikh-ul-Islam, all religious questions may be finally referred.

Whether the Sultans will follow the lead of their subjects in this matter is very doubtful. The harem system is so interwoven with the court life and government of a Mohammedan ruler that it would take a strong man to break through the rule, even if he desired to do so.

The etiquette of the harem of the Sultan of Turkey, like that of most Moslem potentates, is very severe and is strictly carried out. Each wife has her own suite of apartments, her own bathroom and garden, and her own body of servants, male and female. The wives are not called by their names, but are distinguished as Kadin (or lady) No. 1 and so on.

The title of Sultana is given only to the mother, sister or daughter of a Sultan, consequently it is the Kadin who first gives birth to an heir to the throne who can have this distinction. Should an odalisque, or female slave of the harem, become the mother of her lord's first born son, then she becomes the reigning Sultana. Even then she has little influence, this being wielded alone by the Sultan's mother, the Sultana Valide, who controls the harem and exercises considerable influence in all court and many government matters.

STATE OWNED RAILROADS.

EXPERIMENTS BEING TRIED IN FORTY-ONE COUNTRIES.

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body contains about seven-eighths water; and so the man would contain about seventeen gallons, or more than half a barrel of it.

NORMAL FOOD CONSUMPTION.

As to food, he would consume every day five thousand grains of lean meat, eight thousand grains of bread, seven thousand grains of milk, three thousand grains of potatoes, six hundred grains of butter, thirty-three thousand grains of water. This makes a total of food and drink equal nearly to eight pounds.

The matter thus taken into the body is normally balanced by an equal quantity of waste thrown off. For the escape of this waste there are four avenues: the lungs, which throw off twenty thousand grains daily; the skin, which excretes ten thousand grains; and the kidneys and intestines, which eliminate twenty-four thousand and twenty-six hundred grains respectively. Of the water taken, the lungs and skin together carry off just about one-half, the kidneys about forty-four per cent., and the intestines the rest. All this means that there passes through the body within the course of a year almost a ton and a half of solid and liquid matter.

The human body is a prodigious worker—the most compact and powerful engine known. In a single day the body of a healthy man does work equal to lifting a weight of thirty-six hundred tons one foot from the ground. A man at hard labor, a longshoreman, for instance, helping to load a ship, will do a work of two hundred to two hundred and fifty foot tons a day. So it will be understood that the body in its general activity does the work of fourteen or fifteen men. This is many times what any man made engine can do.

MARVELS OF THE HEART.

In order to make this more clear, let us for a moment glance at the work of the heart. The heart is merely a hollow muscle, consisting of two pumps, one of which sends blood to the lungs, the other pumping blood through the tissues. Each side of the heart holds two ounces of blood; and as the heart contracts about seventy-five times a minute, this means that one hundred and fifty ounces, or about one and one-sixth gallons, of blood passes through each side of the heart every minute. That is, about seventy gallons every hour, sixteen hundred and eighty gallons every day, six hundred and three thousand gallons in a year, is pumped by each of the ventricles making the total work of the heart for the year one million two hundred and six thousand gallons. Think of the work done by the heart in ten years, in twenty, or in a life-time! And the heart weighs about half a pound.

RUNS LIKE A MILL RACE.

The stream of blood leaving the heart travels six hundred and twenty-one feet a minute, seven miles an hour, one hundred and sixty-eight miles a day, sixty-one thousand miles a year. No man probably has ever travelled so far as his own blood has. For the blood to make the entire double circuit from heart to lungs, then back to the heart, thence to the tissues, and finally back to the heart again, requires in the adult about twenty-three seconds. In the smaller body of the child the circuit is made much more rapidly, and the heart beats correspondingly faster. For instance, at birth the heart beats

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That the Czar's navy is seething with disaffection has for some time been an open secret to students of Russian naval affairs. Prince Alexander Lieven, a naval commander and one of the most celebrated officers in the Russian service, has recently had the courage to publish a pamphlet which supplements the criticisms of the Douma on the mismanagement of the navy and the cause of disaffection.

The Prince states plainly and without reserve that the Russian navy is not only destitute of discipline, but of esprit de corps, and that there will be no improvement in this state of things until thoroughgoing reforms are carried out in all departments.

First of all, he says, it will be essential to secure reliable and competent non-commissioned officers. The non-commissioned officers, he says, were the real leaders of the mutiny on board the *Pamyat Azoff*, the superior officers of that cruiser not having the slightest idea of what was in the wind until they were surprised and killed.

The question of non-commissioned officers for the Russian navy, he adds, is of the greatest importance for us, for it will cost many more of us our lives if this question is not solved in a satisfactory manner. One makes a great mistake if one imagines that the mutiny has ceased. If at the present moment the air seems to be quieter, it is only because there is a mere outward calm among the people. The truth is we are not in a position to exert any influence over our sailors. We have nothing in common with them, and they on their part allow themselves to be entirely led away by fleeting public opinion. When a still stronger popular movement breaks forth the fleet will join the people and increase the danger which threatens the Government.

"It is not the officers, but the crews, which are the real commanders of the ships of the Russian navy."

ANTS AS WEATHER PROPHETS.

Their Method of Giving Warning of an Approaching Storm.

Ants as weather prophets afford new testimony to the cleverness of these small animals. When you go out on a spring morning and find the ants busily engaged in clearing out their nests and dragging the sand and bits of earth to the surface you may be sure that no matter how cloudy it is there will be no rain that day and the probabilities are for several days of good weather.

If, however, you see the ants about the middle of a spring or summer afternoon hurrying back to the nest and a sentinel trotting out in every direction looking up stragglers and urging them to go home as soon as they can get there, you may figure on a rain that afternoon or night.

When the last of the wanderers is found the picket hurries in and the nest is securely sealed from the inside to keep out the water. It is seldom that ants are taken by surprise by the approach of a shower.

Gentleman—"Waiter, bring me some rabbit pie." Waiter—"Yes, sir. And what'll you have to follow?" Gentleman—"Indigestion. I expect."

margin of four or five ships, which it would give, would be far less than what the strict two Power standard demands.

If, then, we assume that the British programme consists of five battleships and one improved Invincible—and nothing less will satisfy the claims of national security—it is probable that the Admiralty will lay down one group of four improved St. Vincents—four battleships, that is to say, each carrying twelve 12-inch guns. But the fifth battleship may quite possibly be

AN EXPERIMENTAL SHIP,

a new type, built rapidly and tested with the object of gaining experience for a new class which will figure in the programmes of 1910 and 1911. Here much will obviously depend on the action of foreign Powers and whether the reports prove correct which credit the German Admiralty with the intention of building vessels far larger and more powerfully armed than any yet designed.

If such an experimental ship is to be built with great speed to obtain experience the orders for her guns, barbettes and machinery will be given well in advance, before she is even voted, and they may be placed in the summer or autumn of the present year. The same course was followed in the case of the Dreadnought.

The new ship will not improbably carry a new monster gun, the 13.5 inch, eight or ten of which may be mounted, and will thus carry out the policy of "out-Dreadnoughting the Dreadnought." One or two of these guns, according to report, have been building for some months and the employment of them in the St. Vincent class is known to have been considered and only reluctantly abandoned. All the details are confidential, but the German naval handbooks will supply the public with what is certainly an intelligent guess and possibly accurate information. According to them the new 13.5 inch gun will weigh 86 tons, or nearly 30 tons more than the existing 12 inch weapon; will be about 50 feet long, and will fire a shell weighing about 1,300 pounds or 1,400 pounds, as against the 12 inch shell's 850 pounds. Such huge projectiles would pierce five feet of iron and tear their way through the best modern armor at battle range.

To mount guns of the size and length so that they will be able to fire on either broadside is a matter of extreme difficulty so long as funnels remain. But there is some hope of getting rid of them and thus giving

A CLEAR FIELD OF FIRE.

The Belleville company is said to be designing a boiler which needs a funnel above water to discharge the waste products of combustion and there is the bare possibility that producer gas engines might be adopted. The firm of Vickers-Maxim has prepared designs for battleships driven by producer gas, and it is understood that it is ready to turn out a Dreadnought using gas forthwith if it finds any power adventurous enough to try such an experiment. The Admiralty, however, is not at all likely to install the gas engine in battleships until it has been thoroughly tried in merchantmen and smaller cruisers. But that it will finally come may be taken as certain.

The British battleship of 1910 may thus be a vessel of 25,000 tons, mounting eight or ten 86 ton guns, which will be so arranged as to fire

One Countries.

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The first group contains the countries which own and work a part or the whole of the railroad system: India, Canada, New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia, Tasmania, Victoria, Western Australia, New Zealand, Cape Colony, Natal and the Transvaal and Orange River Colonies, Austria-Hungary, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Denmark, France, the various States of the German Empire, Honduras, Italy, Japan, Norway, Portugal, Rumania, Russia, Serbia, Siam, Sweden, Switzerland and Turkey.

The second group is composed of the countries where the State, while owning railroads, leases them to private corporations. These are Newfoundland, Nicaragua and the Netherlands. In Brazil and in Bulgaria the State works some of the railroads it owns, but leases others.

In the third group are the countries where the State has given assistance to roads which are in private ownership: Denmark, France, Greece, Luxembourg, Russia and Spain. In France, Greece and Spain concessions are given for these roads for a certain number of years and at the end of that time they pass into the hands of the State. In Norway some roads belong jointly to the State and the local authorities.

The fourth group is scarcely a group, since it consists of only one country. This is Guatemala, where the railroads which were built by the State were turned over to private ownership. Italy was at one time an example of this condition, but is not at present.

QUIET ENOUGH NOW!

Not long ago a farmer sued a cattle-dealer for damages in the local county court.

"When I bought the bull," said complainant, "he told me it was gentle and perfectly harmless—a child could play with it, in fact. Half an hour after I got the animal home he disabled a couple of my farm hands, and then turned on me!"

"Perhaps the beast was excited by his strange surroundings," suggested his honor. "Is he quiet enough now?"

"Well—yes; but you see—"

"Ah," remarked the defendant, "then my description was correct after all. I said if he did get excited at first he would quieten down."

"Yes," responded plaintiff, grimly, "but you didn't tell me I should have to shoot the beggar to quieten him down! That's what I had to do!"

BIRDS ALSO DRINK WINE.

Wine is so plentiful at the present moment on the shores of Lake Maggiore, from the village of Brione to Orselina, Switzerland, that it is given freely to tramps who ask for a drink. The poorest people leave a bowl of wine on the window sill for all comers. It is frequently refilled, and even the birds share the hospitality. The farmers, in order to make room for the coming vintage, are getting rid of their ordinary wine at nominal prices.

FROM BONNIE SCOTLAND

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM HER BANKS AND BRAES.

What is Going on in the Highlands and Lowlands of Auld Scotia.

An Edinburgh lady has left \$20,000 to her maid.

The total municipal expenditure in Edinburgh next year is estimated at \$2,138,025.

Dalbeattie, the youngest burgh of the Stewartry, celebrated its burghal jubilee recently.

A syndicate has been formed to re-open and develop the Enrick copper mines at Gatehouse.

Wemyss School Board has finished Denbeath School, the third built this year, at a cost of \$145,000.

A Kilmalcolm dealer in footwear announces the sale of five thousand pairs of shoes at one shilling a pair.

The two-days' sale of surplus goods in Rothesay Castle on behalf of the Highland Association realized \$600.

Coatbridge is suffering from a scarlet fever epidemic. There are over 70 cases in hospital, and some at the homes.

Miss Jenny Willison, Achran, Kil-lin, has been appointed principal contralto in the Opera House, Brunn, Moravia.

Coatbridge Town Council are erecting new police buildings at Whifflet, including dwelling-house, recreation hall and cells.

Joseph McKenna, vanman, Rutherglen road, Edinburgh, died from glanders, caught from the horses in his employer's stables.

The Loch Carnan fishermen with whom the herring fishing has this year been a failure, have secured heavy catches of mackerel.

Marion, daughter of Bailie Wilson, Gourock, has been appointed to the newly created position of lady health visitor at Durham.

At Aberdeen, a train of some forty wagons broke away and ran down an incline, crashing through the wall of the forwarding shed.

Mr. W. S. Wilson, engineer in charge of the operations at Ayr Auld Brig, reports that the stability of the arches is now assured.

At Paisley there are 15,097 in attendance at the various schools of the burgh, 11,046 being in the board and 4,051 in the non-board schools.

The old proposal to purchase Ashburn House and convert it into a concert pavilion and pleasure garden is being revived in Greenock.

Kilbrannan fishing fleet had a great catch, the steamers being filled and 600 boxes landed at Carradale. Campbeltown pier was also congested.

Mr. John Munro, merchant, Elgin, who died recently, left a legacy of \$30,000 to Elgin and a similar amount to Forrest for the erection of public baths.

The other day a fight betwixt an eel and a big salmon was observed at Helmsdale. The former twisted itself round the tail of the latter and ultimately killed it.

The death has taken place at her residence in Winton Circus of Miss Jessie Miller, who for over a quarter of a century was infant mistress of Saltcoats Public school.

The death took place very suddenly recently of Mr. Thomas Wilson, sen., Cairnholly, near Creetown.

END OF GRAFT SCANDAL

GUARDIANS HEAVILY FINED AND SENT TO JAIL.

Fines May be Turned Over to Robbed Municipality — Scenes in Court.

Everybody has heard of the wrongdoing of the Mile End Guardians, following on the bribery and corruption among the Guardians of West Ham, writes a London (England) correspondent. Members of both boards were found guilty of making money out of contracts by a regular system, and in both cases they were found guilty, and condemned to heavy sentences. The scene at Old Bailey court when the Mile End Guardians were sentenced was tragic. The court was thronged at the conclusion of the twenty days' trial. The ten members formed what was known as the Calcutt ring, and were charged with conspiracy and receiving bribes, and taking advantages from contractors and by other means. The sentences were as follows:

Thomas Gould, aged 70, feather dyer—Fined £25 and fifteen months' hard labor.

John Edward Kemp, builder—Fined £25 and six months' hard labor.

Jonathan Edward Loftus, tailor—Fined £25 and nine months' hard labor.

A. W. Ridpath, licensed victualler—Fined £25 and nine months' hard labor.

J. F. Stammers, licensed victualler—Fined £25 and nine months' hard labor.

Walter Trott, greengrocer—Fined £25 and nine months' hard labor.

Samuel Gilder, secretary—Fined £25 and nine months' hard labor.

Joseph Gilson, butcher—Fined £250.

Alderman Rowland Hirst, thrice Mayor of Stepney, licensed victualler—Fined £250 and two years' hard labor.

J. C. Warren, J. P., grocer—Fined £250 and one year's hard labor.

FEATURES OF THE TRIAL.

In addition to the above each defendant is to lose his right of citizenship for seven years, and to forfeit any public office he holds.

The trial has occupied twenty days at the Old Bailey, fourteen days at the police court, and it is estimated it has cost about £12,000.

Thirty counsel have been engaged. Calcutt, the chief witness, was in the box for twenty hours. There were seventy witnesses altogether, and over 200 exhibits.

The judge expressed the hope that the Crown would see its way to refund to the ratepayers some of the money received in fines to relieve the burdens created by defendants.

WHAT THE JUDGE SAID.

His Lordship dealt very severely in giving judgment. A good part of their punishment had already come to them while they had been sitting there hearing their conduct held up to the scorn of their fellowmen. If they had any manhood in them they must have suffered. He quite agreed with the verdict of the jury, and it was time that corrupt proceedings of that kind were stamped out with a firm and vigorous hand.

GERMAN "FLOWER CITY" IN MERRY OLD ENGLAND

CITY OF ERFURT HAS 2,000 ACRES OF GARDENS.

LARGE QUANTITIES OF FARM SEEDS ARE CULTIVATED IN GREAT VARIETY.

A correspondent writing from Weimar, says that Erfurt, a thriving commercial city of southern Prussia, with more than 100,000 inhabitants, is known throughout Germany as the "flower city." It has a world-wide reputation for flower and farm seeds and plants, the trade in which the correspondent portrays as follows:

"The origin of the industry dates from the tenth century, and it was developed by the monks of the Peters monastery. The growth to the present large proportions is of much more recent date. Since 1880 the business of raising flower and garden seeds and plants in Erfurt has increased rapidly, until it is now five times as large as it was a quarter of a century ago. When the land failed to produce good wine grapes the people turned their attention to the seed industry as a means of saving.

THEIR WANING FORTUNES.

In former years the hills about Erfurt and Jena were famous for their vineyards. The wine was sold mostly at Weimar, about half way of the distance between those two cities, giving this place its original name of Weinmarkt, which was changed later to Weimar.

"The soil about Erfurt is especially adapted to the culture of vegetables and plants. It is deep, rich and well watered. The annual rainfall is heavy, and the surrounding hills afford good protection from the cool winds which sometimes sweep down from the Thuringerwald. There are 108 concerns engaged in the seed industry, also 35 seed exporters and 24 florists. An idea of the extent of this business may be gained from the area of glass employed. The total is 113,735 square meters (square meter equals 10,764 square feet), of which 30,867 square meters cover propagating houses, and 82,858 square meters are used over specially fertilized beds. Nearly 3,000 people are employed in various capacities.

"While there are no statistics available in regard to the total annual output of the Erfurt seed and plant concerns, a single firm produces each year 70,000 to 80,000 cyclamen, 400,000 lillies of the valley, 60,000 apple sprouts (in pots), 20,000 pear sprouts, 10,000 plum, apricot, peach and quince sprouts, 20,000 strawberry plants, 300,000 short stemmed and 40,000 long stemmed roses.

"About 2,000 acres of land in the city and the immediate vicinity are devoted to gardens.

This land is owned by the Crown, the city and private individuals. It is leased to the various concerns at rentals depending on the location and on the productiveness of the soil. Owing to the rapid growth of the city, which rivals the percentage of a Western boom town in this country quite an area of the best garden land has been plotted into city lots and is fast being covered with fine villas and houses.

"The cultivation of the gilly flower in Erfurt dates from 1810. It

NEWS BY MAIL ABOUT JOHN BULL AND HIS PEOPLE.

Occurrences in the Land That Reigns Supreme in the Commercial World.

A white seal in the London zoological gardens has turned black.

In the past six months the little Metropolitan Railway carried 48,243,951 passengers.

Devonshire farmers say that hawks are very audacious this year, even attacking caged birds.

The embarking and disembarking of 40,000 passengers at the Isle of Man the other day was a record for the island.

Several thousand Egyptian quail, worth about \$8,500, were burnt to death in a fire at an aviary at Wood Green.

Another unsuccessful attempt has recently been made to raise the sunken cruiser Gladiator off Yarmouth, Isle of Wight.

For sleeping in the open air at Stowupland a man was sentenced to a month's hard labor at Stowmarket on Friday.

Much damage has been done to larch trees on the Manchester waterworks estate at Thirlmere by a plague of saw flies.

At present more than 10,000 women are engaged in factories and workshops in London, 8,000 of them in the clothing and allied trades.

Rates collected in Sunderland for the period ending with July are \$40,000 lower than the amount received in the corresponding period of last year.

The Nottingham City Council has decided to raise a loan of \$110,000 in order that works designed to alleviate the unemployed may be proceeded with.

General Booth says he is going to South Africa in search of a new Canaan, in which the unemployed of this country can receive a welcome and a home.

Over sixty members of the Bristol Crimean and Indian Mutiny Veterans' Association were entertained by the Duke of Beaufort at Badminton on Friday.

The winning bunch of wild flowers in a petition among the pupils of the Thomlinson Girls' Grammar School, Wigton (Cumberland), contained 229 different specimens.

A party of Liverpool motorists passed through the village of Astley, in South Lancashire, where reckless motoring is causing much indignation, were pelted with rotten lemons.

During the last few months four cases of cattle maiming have been reported to the Grimsby police. In each instance the outrage was committed at night in mysterious circumstances.

A Fulham mother, to keep her baby safely in bed, tied a band round the little one. The child must have moved or fallen as the band tightened round its throat and strangled it.

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and ultimately killed it.

The death has taken place at her residence in Winton Circus of Miss Bessie Miller, who for over a quarter of a century was infant mistress of Saltcoats Public school.

The death took place very suddenly recently of Mr. Thomas Wilson, son, Cairnholly, near Creetown. The deceased was a well-known farmer in the south-west of Scotland.

The ratepayers of the Kintyre parish of Killean and Kilchenzie are a conscientious lot. There has not been a farthing or arrears of assessment for the last five years.

Last week Lockerbie School Board appointed Mr. William Oswald, M.A., Stirling, as science master of Lockerbie Academy. There were six applicants for the post.

While operating about seven miles off St. Abbs Head, the trawler James landed a large shark of the blue species. It measured 9½ feet in length and nearly 6 feet in girth.

A Glasgow east end bride went off on her honeymoon the other day with a black eye. The optic was darkened by a badly-aimed boot thrown for luck by one of the guests.

A Crimean veteran has passed away at Lagg, Jura, in the person of Duncan Carmichael. He was over 84 years of age, a native of Islay, and had resided in Jura for years.

A woman named Winifred Delargy pleaded guilty in an Edinburgh court to having thrown a quantity of vitrol on her husband and son, permanently destroying the former's eyesight.

Thomas Statham, who had rung the bells of Berwick for about 55 years, is dead. He was the last of a family of bellringers who were connected with the bellringing of Berwick for over a century.

To Montrose belongs the distinction of having bred the smallest pony in the world. Mr. Bostock has secured the unique animal, which now forms one of the attractions at the Scottish Zoo.

Visitors to Thurso observe its intimate connection in days of yore with Norway, from the many Scandinavian surnames and facial characteristics of the people. Thurso was founded in the twelfth century.

The lady students of Aberdeen University are proposing to run Mrs. Henry Fawcett, president of the National Union of Women's Suffrage Societies, as a candidate for the Lord Rectorship of the University.

Mrs. Bell, Princess street, Stranraer, who died recently, was one of the oldest inhabitants, having reached her 90th birthday in May. The deceased resided in the same dwelling house for the long period of 57 years.

By the death of John Elliott, a Berwick ferryman, a literary link has been broken. Deceased was a grandson of Hobby Elliott, whose original method of training his twelve sons is one of the gems of Mackay Wilson's "Tales of the Borders."

Life wouldn't be worth the living if it was a continuous succession of pudding and ice cream.

Chemist (just arrived)—"Much business this morning?" New Assistant—"Oh, yes, sir. I've had a busy morning of it. There's been six old women in to look at the directory. I've obliged eight people with postage stamps, besides changing a dollar."

sitting there nearing their conduct held up to the scorn of their fellowmen. If they had any manhood in them they must have suffered. He quite agreed with the verdict of the jury, and it was time that corrupt proceedings of that kind were stamped out with a firm and vigorous hand.

In the first place, each of the defendants would lose his right of citizenship for seven years, and forfeit any office he might hold.

In the second place, he thought it right they should repay what they had received as bribes, but he could not enforce that for two reasons—first, in the case of many of them it had been no fixed sum, and, second, to some of them it would mean ruin past redemption in this world. As he suspected, like other ill-gotten money, it had lightly gone. But he intended to follow the spirit of that provision in some respects. He intended to fine each defendant a sum of money which he trusted the Crown would be advised to grant to the ratepayers as some relief from the burdens which defendants had imposed upon them. Further, they would be imprisoned until those fines were paid.

"THE TEMPTER."

Addressing Gould, his Lordship said: "You, Gould, are an old man, old enough to have known much better, and you I regard as the tempter. But for your age I should pass a longer sentence, but I wish you to have time to come out again before you die. You will pay a fine of £25, and go to prison with hard labor for fifteen calendar months."

Gould tottered from the dock with bowed head as Kemp stepped forward.

When Hirst's turn came, the judge, speaking in a very severe tone, said: "You are an old guardian, and I can find no excuse for you. Thrice mayor, by virtue of your office as magistrate, taking a prominent part as leader of the ring, despite, and possibly taking advantages out of other contracts. You will be sentenced to two years' imprisonment with hard labor, and will pay a fine of £250."

As Hirst, the ex-mayor, was sentenced, a woman screamed, and some one cried "Shame!" Outside, in the corridor a number of women fainted, and one or two were in hysterics.

THE WEST HAM TRIAL.

The great trial thus concluded is the second of its kind in the history of the new regime at the Local Government Board. During the past two years a firm attitude had been adopted at the department, of which Mr. John Burns is head, with a view of clearing away every taint in the public life of the country. It first found expression in the trial and conviction of West Ham Guardians and officials, in May last year, for conspiracy. Sentences were at the West Ham trial passed varying from two years to six months' imprisonment. In that case also the men convicted were disfranchised for various periods, and one (G. A. Crump) was ordered never again to serve on any public body. No fines were then imposed.

Mistress (angrily)—"How dare you talk back to me in that way? I never saw such impudence. You have a lot of nerve to call yourself a lady's maid." New Maid—"I don't call myself that now, ma'am; but I was a lady's maid before I got this job."

town and on the production of the soil. Owing to the rapid growth of the city, which rivals the percentage of a Western boom town in this country quite an area of the best garden land has been plotted into city lots and is fast being covered with fine villas and houses.

"The cultivation of the gilly flower in Erfurt dates from 1810. It first appeared in the window of a citizen, and from this one pot hundreds of thousands of these flowers have been promulgated. The estimated annual production is 680,000 plants. To the same extent, or nearly so, is the cultivation of the calceolaria, verbena, petunia, gloxinia, zinnia, pansy, carnation, balsam, phlox, hollyhock, perlagonium, fuchsia, azalia, etc., in almost endless variety. It is estimated that the annual output of flower seeds is not much under 1,000,000 marks (\$238,000).

"Vegetable and farm seeds are cultivated in large quantities and in great variety. Among them are included 101 kinds of peas, 168 of beans (700 bushels shipped this year to Boston to help make up the deficit in its staple food), 269 varieties of kitchen herbs, 38 kinds of radishes and 30 of other roots, 34 of onions, etc., 65 of grass for fodder, 30 of clover, 320 species of potatoes. There are 1,542 varieties of vegetable seed cultivated in England."

SENTENCE SERMONS.

Faith in God is best evidenced by fellowship with men.

Too many measure their means by their meanness.

Trouble that might break us may be made to make us.

The hardest seats in the world are those on Easy street.

Nagging people are always praying for peace in glory.

Worms of the dust make poor leaders of men to the divine.

Social sympathy is the solvent of many theological barriers.

The world is not lifted to virtue by picturing it as wholly vicious.

You cannot have harmony within yourself without conflict without.

No preacher ever caught men who was fishing for compliments.

Formalities are the substitutes with which the empty heart tries to make up for faith.

Prayer is measured by its aspiration rather than by the information it sends to heaven.

A MAJESTIC ICE-WALL.

In a letter from Prof. Edgeworth Davis, a member of the British Antarctic Expedition now seeking a way toward the south pole, addressed to Prof. W. J. Sollas, in England, there occurs a vivid description of the Great Antarctic Ice Barrier, which was reached by the little ship Nimrod on January 23rd. "It is a sight," says Professor Davis, "that beggars all description. Imagine a continuous ice-wall, 500 miles long and 100 to 200 feet high, the exquisite blue of the crevasses contrasting finely with the dazzling white of the weathered ice on either side of them." They followed the barrier 80 miles without finding a place where they could establish a base. "Balloon Inlet," used as a base by the expedition of 1901, had completely disappeared. Finally they went to Mac Murdo Sound, as the only base now available.

Some men seem to extend a standing offer to the public to sit down on them.

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QUEENS AND BULLFIGHTING.

Victoria of Spain Hopes to Win Even If Others Did Fail.

Queen Victoria of Spain is, it is said, anxious to abolish in her country the enormities of bullfighting she has hitherto consented to attend at this favorite national sport, but the last time she went, shortly before Don Jaime's birth, what she witnessed filled her with horror and grief.

So she has caused to be revived the memory of the fact that the great Queen Isabella, when she returned from conquering the Moors, declared that it was her wish to abolish bullfighting as a cruel sport which, she asserted, had been introduced by the Paynim Moors and which was unworthy of a Christian race.

If the Spaniards of to-day are reminded that the Queen whose memory they adore was only prevented by her death from putting down the cruel sport it is hoped that they may allow their present Queen to make it at least unfashionable for ladies to attend on such sights.

Queen Christina tried to do so in the early days of her rule as widowed Regent, says the London Illustrated News, but she had so much else to contend with that she had to abandon this unpopular reform.

It seemed impossible not long ago for duelling ever to be abolished as a means of settling personal disputes and wiping out insults among gentlemen, but Queen Victoria achieved it. Acting through her husband, she so arranged that dueling should never again be resorted to by men in the army to end their quarrels or to defend their own honor, and this was speedily accepted as possible and right in civil life too.

MAN.

Man is the wonder of nature.—Plato.

Man is an epitome of the world.—Pliny.

Men were deceivers ever.—Shakespeare.

Man is a sample of the universe.—Theophrastus.

Man everywhere is the born enemy of lies.—Carlyle.

Man! Thou pendulum betwixt a smile and tear.—Byron.

Certainly the greatest scholars are not the wisest men.—Regmer.

The great man is he who does not lose his child's heart.—Mencius.

Great men stand like solitary towers in the city of God.—Longfellow.

Man is an imitative creature, and whoever is foremost leads the herd.—Schiller.

The real character of a man is found out by his amusements.—Sir Joshua Reynolds.

All men command patience, though few be willing to practise it.—Thomas a Kempis.

Most men employ the first part of their lives in making the last part miserable.—La Bruvere.

All men are liars.—Psalm cxvi.

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It's a pity when sick ones drag the stomach or stimulate the Heart and Kidneys. That is all wrong! A weak Stomach means weak Stomach nerves, always. And this is also true of the Heart and Kidneys. The weak nerves are instead crying out for help. This explains why Dr. Shoop's Restorative is promptly helping Stomach, Heart and Kidney ailments. The Restorative reaches out for the actual cause of these ailments—the failing "inside nerves". Anyway test the Restorative 48 hours. It won't cure so soon as that, but you will surely know that help is coming. Sold by—ALL DEALERS.

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Cheese Factory Burned.

On Wednesday afternoon, between four and five o'clock, fire destroyed the Union Cheese factory in Ernestown township, near Fredericksburg. The building which was owned by Mr. Fred Perry was a total loss as was also a quantity of cheese and all the contents. The building was valued at \$1800, and was partially insured. The cheese was valued at \$1500, and was fully covered by insurance. Mr. Perry is busy making arrangements to open a temporary factory on Monday morning to be used until the factory can be rebuilt.

A. S. Kimmerly continues paying 17½¢ cash or trade for new laid eggs from the farm stone, and pullers eggs not wanted. 22 hens 5¢, Toasted Corn Flakes 3 packages 25¢, Five Roses Flour \$3.00, Good Flour \$2.80. Car of Seed Corn in stock.

A peculiar phenomena was witnessed by a number of people who were at the G. T. R. station on Monday morning about 2.45 o'clock. The sky in the east was suddenly brilliantly illuminated by what appeared to be a ball of fire, which seemed to be about the size of a man's head. After travelling a considerable distance through the air it formed a circle and finally developed into the letter "D". This was visible for about fifteen minutes. Who can explain it.

For fall painting use Sherwin-Williams Outside White. It will not chalk off like lead and oil. The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper, sole agent for Napanee.

The first annual regatta of the Napanee Canoe Club was held Wednesday afternoon. The day was all that could be desired and a goodly crowd witnessed the afternoon's sport. The following are the winners in the various contests:

Senior singles—Chenoweth, Loynes, Dafoe.

Junior singles—D. Jemmott, B. Jemmott, Conway.

Crab—Chenoweth, Dafoe, D. Jemmott.

Fours—Carroll (stroke), Steacy, Dafoe, Grange; Loynes (stroke), Belfie, Anderson, Cleland; Chenoweth, (stroke), Robinson, Watt, Conway.

Ladies' tandem—Miss Helen Herrington and Miss Cameron; Miss E. Parks and Z. Parks; Miss G. Grange and Miss G. Miller.

Doubles—Chenoweth and Conway; Loynes and Jemmott; Anderson and Steacy.

Ladies' and Gents' tandem—F. Chenoweth and Miss A. Chenoweth; Loynes and Miss Amy; D. Jemmott and Miss Z. Parks.

Special race, one-half mile, handicap—Chenoweth, Lyons.

Gunwale doubles—Dafoe and Carroll; Chenoweth and B. Jemmott; Loynes and D. Jemmott.

Ladies' and gents' fours—Carroll (stroke) Miss Cameron, Belfie, Miss H. Herrington; Loynes (stroke), Miss E. Amy, D. Jemmott, Miss Z. Parks; B. Chenoweth (stroke), Miss H. Leonard, Conway and Miss A. Chenoweth.

The tilting contest was not finished.

PAIN OVER THE EYES.

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That dull, wretched pain in the head just over the eyes is one of the surest signs that the seeds of catarrh have been sown, and it's your warning to administer the quickest and surest treatment to prevent the seating of this dreaded malady. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder will stop all pain in ten minutes, and cure. (15)

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Chinese winters and electric night. A good programme was rendered, Mrs. Burritt, Miss Edna Ashley, Miss Marion Wilson and Miss Chenoweth, also Dr. Cameron and Mr. Fisher contributed much to the enjoyment of the evening by their several numbers. The receipts were most gratifying, and the officers and Executive of the Churchwoman's Guild, wished to thank all those who so generously contributed to the success of the evening, both socially and financially. It is the intention of the Churchwoman's Guild to hold a series of these entertainments through the coming season, the second one will take place next Thursday evening, when Miss Luella Hall will give an organ recital in the Church of St. Mary Magdalene. Everyone cordially invited.

Pear Marmalade is never right unless you use English Sweet Stem Ginger for flavoring. You get it fresh at The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper.

Fashionable Wedding.

In Trinity Church on Tuesday evening, at nine o'clock, in the presence of a crowded church, Miss Pearl Perry, youngest daughter of Mrs. J. Rud Perry, became the bride of Mr. Frank Boyes, only son of Mr. J. L. Boyes. The ceremony was performed at nine o'clock by Rev. G. W. McColl, pastor of Trinity church. The bride was given away by her cousin, William Templeton, and looked very charming in her wedding gown of cream silk lace embroidered in silk applique, over white duchess satin and chiffon with seed pearls. She wore the customary bridal veil, caught with orange blossoms and hemmed with seed pearls, and carried a bouquet of white bridal roses and lily-of-the-valley. The bride was assisted by Miss Alice Pruyne, who wore pink silk eoliene over pink taffeta, trimmed with cream lace and a pink hat trimmed with plumes to match and carried pink roses. The groom was assisted by J. B. Allison, Two little flower girls, Miss Violet Perry, niece of the bride, and Miss Diana Miller, gowned in pale blue silk and wreaths of blue forget-me-nots, in their hair, carrying baskets of pink sweet peas, lent an added charm to the occasion. The ushers were William Wright and W. Ralph Scott. Mrs. Cairns-Smith played Mendelssohn's wedding march as the bridal party entered the church. The groom's favor to the bride was a handsome diamond and sapphire ring, to the bridesmaids a pearl broach and to the flower girls, pearl rings, to the ushers gold shiff rings, to the groomsman, a gold locket, to the organist, a gold bar pin, set with pearls. The bride's going-away gown was of navy blue broadcloth, tailor made, trimmed with silk braid, and a dainty hat to match. The honeymoon will be spent in Toronto, Buffalo, Philadelphia and Atlantic City. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, Bridge street east, and a dainty lunch served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Boyes took the midnight train for their honeymoon. The presents to the bride were very beautiful and consisted of sterling silver, cut glass and bric-a-brac, in great abundance. Seldom has a bride been so lavishly remembered by friends and relations, as has the present one. Both bride and groom are very popular in social circles and their many friends will welcome them back, for they are going to settle down with us upon their return. They will take up housekeeping in J. P. Hanley's house near the G. T.-R. station, which was one of their many presents, this being from the groom's father, J. L. Boyes. The girl friends of the popular bride decorated Trinity church with white and pink asters and the effect was very pleasing, and added much to the attractiveness of the occasion.

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and much credit is due to the lady patrons for the decorations and successful issue of the function.

Musical Wonders.

Major and Mrs. Tom Plant, of International Headquarters, London, England, the musical wonders, world-wide travellers, songsters and instrumentals, under the auspices of the Salvation Army, will visit Napanee on Wednesday and Thursday, September 16th and 17th. On Wednesday evening, Sept. 16th, the meeting will be held in the Army Barracks, and the subject will be "How I was shipwrecked on the west coast of Norway." The second night will be in the town hall, and will be an unique demonstration, entitled "Round the World in a Chariot of Music and Song." Do not fail to hear the following wonderful instruments played by the Major at his meetings. Farland, banjo, fairy bells, concertina, solophone, the lute (10 stringed bible instrument), Canadian sleigh bells, 21 silver toned hand bells, dulcetone, and other novelty instruments from many lands, including the Aluminum chimes, the most wonderful instrument in the world. Silver collection at the barracks on Wednesday evening, and an admission fee of 10 cents at the town hall on Thursday evening. Everybody come.

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BURT—SIMMONS

On Wednesday evening, September 2nd, a very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. S. E. Burt, Wilton, when her youngest daughter, Miss Grace, was united in marriage to Mr. Stuart Simmons, of Wilton. The house was beautifully decorated with arches of evergreens and cut flowers. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. D. Williams, the bride's pastor, under an arch and horseshoe of evergreens and bridal roses. The wedding party entered the drawing-room to the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Hettie Lake, of Kingston. The bride, who was gowned in white eoliene, trimmed with lace and ribbon, and carried a bouquet of white roses, was given away by her brother, Mr. Earle Burt. The bride and groom were unattended. After congratulations the guests to the number of about sixty sat down to a sumptuous supper. The bride received many beautiful and costly presents. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome jewelcase. The bride's travelling suit was of steel gray mohair trimmed with silk braid, with white silk blouse and hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons drove to Kingston, where they took the train for Toronto and London. On their return they will reside at Wilton.

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STR. REINDEER,

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Daily, Sundays Excepted. Effective Wednesday, April 22nd, 1908. Subject to change without notice.

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Deseronto	7:15	2:00
Hough's	7:20	2:35
Thompson's Point	7:40	3:30
Glen Island	8:00	4:00
Glenora	8:10	4:15
Picot	8:30	4:30
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Thompson's Point	10:00	5:30
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Mrs. Donnelly, Kingston, is visiting Mrs. F. P. Douglas.

Miss Hewitt, Orilla, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hill.

Miss Ada Lane is spending the week in Toronto.

Miss Gertie Walker is spending her holidays in Peterborough.

Mrs. J. A. McDonnell, of Marmora, spent a few days last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fitzpatrick, Adelphi street.

Mrs. Jas. H. Hill, Rochester, N. Y., was the guest of Mrs. Will Boyle last week.

Mr. John Valentine, Violet, returned on Thursday from Toronto, where he purchased some very fine Leicester and Oxford down sheep.

Mrs. J. T. Grange and Mrs. D. E. Denison are visiting friends in Arthur, Ont.

Miss Lillie Taylor, of Brampton, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Matthew Taylor this week.

Misses Ida Asseltine and Edna Gilbert, Sillville, are spending a couple of weeks with relatives at Toronto, Hamilton, and Niagara.

Miss Zella Grooms is spending a couple of weeks in Toronto visiting her brothers.

Miss Ella Smith, Newburgh, is visiting friends in Watertown.

Mr. W. J. Green and wife, of Bloomfield, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. H. Brown on Saturday and Sunday last.

Mrs. D. R. Benson is taking in Toronto fair and visiting her brother in Oshawa.

Mrs. Albert Storms, of Watertown, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. B. Lloyd, and other acquaintances.

Miss Mary Lamey is spending a couple of weeks in Toronto.

Mr. T. D. Clark left last week to oversee his harvesting operations in the west.

Mr. R. A. Fowler, Amherst Island, is on a trip through the west.

Mrs. Wm. A. Grange wishes to announce that her post-nuptial reception will not be held until next spring.

J. F. Cairns, of Saskatoon, Sask., son of Rev. H. Cairns, spent a few hours in town on Monday visiting his parents.

Mr. W. F. Carson and daughter, Gwendoline, who have been the guests of his mother, Mrs. John Carson, South Napanee, returned to their home at Killarney, Man., on Monday.

Mrs. W. O. Stevens, and little daughter, of London, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stevens a few days

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SON OF DUY, THE CHIN, SPENT A FEW hours in town on Monday visiting his parents.

Mr. W. F. Carson and daughter, Gwendoline, who have been the guests of his mother, Mrs. John Carson, South Napanee, returned to their home at Killarney, Man., on Monday.

Mrs. W. O. Stevens, and little daughter, of London, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stevens a few days this week. They left on Wednesday to visit her mother at Clayton, N. Y.

A number from Napanee attended the Ministrel show in Deseronto on Monday evening.

Mrs. Fuller, Tamworth, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. P. Douglas, returned home last Saturday.

Miss Flo Asselstine, of Moscow, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Carson a few days this week.

Mr. W. K. Pruyne is looking after harvesting operations on his farm in Manitoba.

Mrs. Shuster, of Belleville, spent a few days this week with her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. H. Madden.

Miss Bert Huffman, Colebrook, is spending a couple of weeks in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grange arrived home on Monday.

Mr. Geo. Cliff was in Blind River, Algoma, a few days this week adjusting fire losses with Mr. A. T. Harshaw.

Mr. J. B. Richardson was in Toronto Wednesday.

Miss Sarah Nagle, of Perth, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Henry Savage.

Mr. Harry Fox, of the J. J. Haines Shoe House, spent last week in Toronto.

Mr. W. F. Carson spent a few days last week in Toronto.

Mrs. L. Perry Huffman and Mrs. George H. Vandastine, are spending the week visiting relatives and friends in Toronto and Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donaldson, of Peterboro, spent Sunday and Monday in town the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Vine.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sampson and daughter, Emma, were in Toronto this week.

Misses Georgie and Florence Warner, Colebrook, attended the Canoe Club dance in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening.

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Chase's or Shiloh's Cough Cure	20
Ayer's Cherry Pectoral	20



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Mr. Max Fox and Mr. C. B. Fox spent a few days this week in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Colp left for their home in California on Tuesday. They will go via western Canada stopping for a few days at Winnipeg, Carman, Banff and Victoria.

The Picton golf team are expected here to-day to play a match with the Napanee club.

Miss Jessie Clark, Kingston, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Sidney Warner.

Rev. and Mrs. McCaul are spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. W. S. Herrington was in Odessa on Wednesday.

Mr. W. A. Grange was in Deseronto on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grange returned from their wedding trip on Saturday, after spending a very pleasant time at Bon Echo Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Boyle spent a few days in Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cousins and child, of London, Eng., are expected in Napanee to-day. Mr. Manson Stevens went to Montreal last evening to meet them. Mrs. Cousins is Mr. Stevens' sister.

BIRTHS.

FISHER—At Napanee, on Saturday, Sept. 5th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fisher, a son.

DEATHS.

FISHER—At Napanee, on Sunday, Sept. 6th, 1908, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fisher.

DUNBAR—At his residence, North Fredericksburgh, on Friday, September 4th, 1908, Franklin L. Dunbar, aged 12 years and 8 months.

HINCH—At Winnipeg, Man., on Wednesday, Sept. 9th, 1908, Ogden Hinch, formerly of Napanee; aged 57 years.

JOYCE—At North Fredericksburgh, on Friday, Sept. 4th, 1908, Mrs. Elizabeth Joyce, aged 70 years.

LOWRY—At Napanee, on Friday, Sept. 4th, 1908, Chas. Lowry, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lowry, aged 6 months.

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